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1	DATE	NAME	EMAIL	ELEMENTARY	MIDDLE	HIGH	OPTION	COMMENTS
2	12/18/19	Naveen Kasam	kasam_naveen@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			My son goes to Springville and he rarely gets to attend the same class as his friends. He makes new friends every year and still meets his other friends at home and out side of school. Please do not consider 'Interruption of Kids Friendships' when deciding on the themes. Kids continue their friendship outside of school. Its very unfortunate to see parents using 'kids friendships' and their legacy / attachment to Stoller as reasons to cause unnecessary stress to springville kids by suggesting that its okay for them to travel more than 5 miles to attend MS school each way.Please be fair to every kid.
3	12/18/19	Sam Vilain	sambiz@gmx.com	Findley Elem				I live .7 miles away from Stoller. It doesn't make sense that 2 of the 4 proposals would try to justify prying Stoller away from my community, and forcing me to bus my children miles away while other families living miles away would bus their children to the nearby school.Plus everything should be done to ensure that each elementary school feeds to a single middle school.I count on the decision makers to maintain common sense and to focus on the children's best interest.
4	12/18/19	Yatin Kulkarni	yvkulkarni@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Hello Advisory Committee, We are all witnessing lot of passion around the middle school boundary change and communities through the meetings and through public forums have been quite vocal about their concerns with multiple challenges they would face due to possible decision not favorable to their community. One simple rule, I believe, that should be central to any stand on this issues is the Golden Rule - Treat others as you would like to be treated. I see many Findley parents overly stressing importance of walking distance to the school, especially in bad weather conditions. But at the same time they are suggesting that its ok to send Springville kids all the way to Five Oaks - a daily 4-5 mile journey on a multi-stop school bus through busy intersections and heavy traffic at commute hours. A more equitable option is for Findley to feed into undercapacity Timberland, move Summa to Timberland and keep Springville feeding to Stoller. This will make both communities within a reasonable travel time and also cause least amount of disruption to the overall BSD communities. I hope that committee will see through some of the harsher and stubborn stands taken by few sections of the communities and also the sense of entitlement many Findley parents are claiming.
5	12/18/19	Mohammad A Khayer	makhayer@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Pls reject the themes splitting FE for stoller. Splitting elementary kids is detrimental to the well being of the elementary kids as it impacts them emotionally. Putting FE in stoller is the right thing to do as FE is the closest to stoller and in proximity. Also FE is the legacy elementary for stoller considering the community volunteering involvement of countless hours in stoller. Most FE kids will be walking to stoller and within a 1.5 miles distance, so it doesnt make sense to send them to busing to a new MS. SPV kids are already busing yo stoller, and it is a growing community, so feeding SPV into stoller won't solve the overcrowding. Pls keep FE feeding into stoller.
6	12/18/19	santhosh	santhosh.koduri@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		The purpose of the middle school boundary adjustment meeting is to identify feeder schools to newly constructed Timberland middle school and alleviate overcrowding at stroller middle schools. Both of these can be goals can be achieved by feeding findley elementary school to Timberland middle school as it is closer to Timberland middle school,the closest middle school to springville elementary school is stroller and it makes sense to feed it stroller. It does not make any sense to move springville to five oaks middle school as it is very far compared with existing middle school and overcrowds the five oaks middle school. boundary adjustment maps theme 2 and theme 3 do not make sense as both of them overcrowd five oaks middle school. Better options would be maps Theme 1 and Theme 4.
7	12/18/19	Swetha	swetha_praj@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep FINDLEY IN STOLLER. We are shocked to see some proposals around splitting elementary feeder schools. STOLLER is our neighborhood school and it's completely unfair for us to move to a new school because of growing housing developments in North Bethany. It should be planned and taken care by the North Bethany construction companies to have their own Middle school in Springville.
8	12/18/19	Megan Liu	Xiaoliu86@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		It is very important to consider sustainable development for a long term solution . If the new boundary result in another boundary adjustment in few years, it fails supporting kids a healthy and stable educational environment. Findley community has been well developed and does not expect a significant amount increase. Moving Findley out of stroller will NOT address the overcrowding challenge Stoller faces for a long run. KEEP Findley in Stoller.
9	12/18/19	Stephanie Vitro	Stephanie.m.vitro@gmail.com	Nancy Ryles Elem				I would love to see all the kids go to the same middle school, instead of dividing between two schools as it is today.
10	12/18/19	Ai Okada	Aiokada94@gmail.com	West TV Elem				Our son enjoys attending WTV and briefly went to future Timberland MS campus. Please approve MS boundary theme 3. Commuting will be easier for our children . Also, we feel this new school will provide best facilities for our children.Sincerely,Ai Okada
11	12/18/19	Anu	Anoo_paapu@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	The themes shown by BSD splitting Findley community into Stoller don't meet the original goal of this whole exercise. How does it solve overcrowding keeping growing communities to continue to feed into Stoller? Are we going to subject yet another group of people to this same horror in a few years when BSD realizes they have been shortsighted?
12	12/18/19	Santosh	Santosh.krishnamurthy@intel.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Dear BSD staff:I would like to propose the following boundary adjustments for middle school in north bethany area. Off all the communities we have in north bethany area, springville and sato are growing at a rapid pace. Currently they feed into stoller middle school and is the main reason for over crowding. My proposal is to split springville and sato and have them feed into different middle schools to balance the crowd.1. Have springville, rockcreek feed in to five oaks.2. Have sato, findley and jacob wismer feed into stoller. Sato is growing community while findley and jacob wismer are declining communities in terms of population. So it makes no sense to move findley out of stoller as it will not solve the over crowding problem currently on hand. 3. Have all communities east of findley and oakhills feed into timenerline. Off all the proposals published by BSD this week, theme 2 reflects the most balanced approach. Also i would not like any proposal which splits elementary school feeding into middle school. This has adverse psychological impact on kids and is not healthy for school dynamics. My son who is in first grade is already worried about loosing his friends in middle school with 5 years to go. The last thing he needs to worry about is loosing his friends.I would appreciate BSD make effort to avoid such a scenario from happening. In long run north bethany area will need its own middle school with springville and sato feeding into it. Keep in mind all the real estate marketting tag in that area was that they will have springville k-8 in the vicinity. Kids need to grow in an enriching environment and over crowding is disruptive to teachers and students. I appreciate BSD showing transparency on this matter. I would urge BSD to make a long term decision and not push can down the road. Regards,Santosh
13	12/18/19	kshipra bopardikar	kshipraj@msn.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I do not support Findley school students cannot go to Stoller middle school. We live so close to Stoller that we do not even have school bus.Stoller school will not be able to handle increasing expansion in Springville area even if Findley students are moved to new school. I do not like this decision and would like BSD folks to come up with other solution
14	12/18/19	Hyma Nandakumar	Hymasworld@yahoo.com				ISB	It is not fair to let people buy houses based on one school boundary and then change it on them because builders want to sell their houses for higher price by getting these good schools for their new construction areas. We don't live there and this change doesn't impact my kids. But I want to speak up to raise my voice against the injustice.

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15	12/18/19	Yanbin Luo	Kaibindu@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I strongly object the motion to move Findley out of the Stoller MS feeder school. The reasons are:1. Findley has been an established feeder school for Stoller since its opening which has formed a strong community in the neighborhood. It is unfair and unethical to destroy such positive community by to other neighborhood's request.2. The current and future students at Findley are well committed to Stoller through siblings, friends, families, neighbors, and are well connected through school program and after-school programs. It is unfair and unethical to the Findley students to force them to out of the Stoller MS to another middle school which they are not connected nor committed, which will damage the quality of education.3. Many of the Findley families living in the walking or short-driving distance to Stoller Middle School. It is devastating to force them to a farther school beyond walking distance, such move will not only damage the students life but will also devstate the families whose schedule and situation are replying upon their students walking to the Stoller Middle School which is the sole reason they bought properties in the neighborhood. Moving them out of Stoller MS will destroy their life and destroy student's education.
16	12/18/19	Xiue jiang	Xjiang586@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Springville K-8	I think Springville needs theirs own Middle School, so it much convenient for kids to go home. And so does for Findley kids. I am at which is not so close to Stoller, but if it is snow day my kids still can walk home. If we go to Timberland School, it no way to walk home, it is too far from Findley.
17	12/18/19	Sachin	Sachinvaya@yahoo.co.in	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		My son goes to Findley elementary and want to call out few things before the next meeting.I would like to present few facts, call out concerns and finally provide my recommendationsFew facts :-1. Based on the PSU study, 2 growing communities feeding to Stoller are Sato & Springville (Jacob Wismer & Findley are declining in enrollments)2. There is a freeway in the middle of BSD boundary and only 1 middle school north of US-26. Since the enrollments are growing it means someone has to cross the freeway unfortunately3. One third of Findley kids walks to Stoller and the remaining has max travel of <2 miles4. All springville kids are bussed to StollerMy Concerns:-1. Few recommendations had Findley split into 2 different middle schools which is not ideal as my kids will get separated from lot of friends2. The ones who are recommending the split are farther away from Stoller and only suggesting to split feeder pattern for a closer school while not mentioning a possibility of splitting theirs3. Only taking half of Findley out of Stoller will not solve the overcrowding problem4. Transport cost will increase if all Findley kids will have to bussed to a different school other than StollerMy Recommendation:-1. The 3 closest schools to Stoller should feed to Stoller (Jacob Wismer, Findley & Sato)2. Sato & Springville both growing communities cannot feed to same middle school otherwise we are only kicking the can down the road while not solving a long term problem3. Springville & Rock Creek can either go to Five Oaks or Timberland based on enrollments in those schools.
18	12/18/19	Florentina Perjeru	Dr_perjeru@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Please keep Springville neighborhood in the Stoller boundary, there is added travel time which adds hardship unnecessarily. Thank you.
19	12/18/19	Ritika Mohnot	Ritika.mohnot@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Sunset		Moving Springville outside of stroller is not appropriate and not up to the mark of springville's ranking and standard.
20	12/18/19	supriya singhi	supriya.sethia@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Springville K8 kids should go to Stoller middle school as this is closer. Safe route and distance for kids to bike as well.
21	12/18/19	Nirmala	raj_kavya@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Westview		I support theme 1 of the BSD proposed maps
22	12/18/19	Priti johri	Pritijohri@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Stoller Middle school is a much closer commute for Springville Elementary school students than any other middle school in consideration. Shorter commute to Stoller middle schools also makes it extremely convenient for Springville school student's parents to pick and drop their students when needed to Stoller MS. That is why Springville school students must have ONLY STOLLER MIDDLE SCHOOL AS THEIR ONLY DEFAULT MIDDLE SCHOOL. There shouldn't be any question raised over it.Thank you!
23	12/18/19	Jessica Steimer	Jsteimer765@gmail.com	Nancy Ryles Elem	Highland Park MS	Mountainside		To whom it may concern,I believe that the all of the kids from Nancy Ryles should go to the same school. I think it makes the adjustment for the children much harder being separated within the school. Middle school is such a short few years and I think for the small percentage of the students that will go to Conestoga, they will have the disadvantage socially. Thank you for your consideration.
24	12/18/19	Peter	prp125@msn.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Based on the 4 themes that are made available, and meet the objective of reducing the stoller middle school capacity to ~90% , I would recommend the following changes to theme 2.1. Move portion of findley elementary school south of bronson creek to Timberland. This should bring the stoller numbers close to ~90% from 105%.2. Move students from south of walker road from Five Oaks middle school to Meadow Park. Hopefully this should reduce five oaks numbers enough to bring it closer to 100%. Of course, this will split the elementary school boundaries across different middle schools. But based on the new and current middle school locations, I don't see any other way to meet the numbers.
25	12/18/19	Aditya Kukday	kukday@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			HiI would like to highlight certain points:1. The theme's that send Springville to Five Oaks make no sense to anyone or for any logic except for Findley folks. Sending Springville to Five Oaks will over crowd an already overcrowded school and the only solution would be a domino effect impacting every single elementary school. All to accommodate fantasies of 1 elementary school parents (not even kids who would prefer a brand new \$61 Million school)2. Findley itself is closer to Five Oaks than Springville to Five Oaks. So every single logic that has been put forth for Springville feeding into Five Oaks, can be used for Findley feeding into Five Oaks.3. The reason why those themes exist is because Springville parents like myself were not present at the first redistricting session. The reason we were not present is that we were under the assumption that no one in their right minds would ask Springville students to spend hours in the bus and that we would continue feeding into Stoller. Yet, Findley parents came very well organized and presented a completely nonsensical solution. This led to the backlash seen at the second meeting in Conestoga. 4. Findley arguments of sending Springville students to Five Oaks have no basis in reality - "Springville is in straight line to Five Oaks", "Springville is adopted kid who should leave the home" etc.5. Every single student east of Bronson creek takes bus to Stoller - this is per BSD. So 71% Findley can walk to Stoller is plain straight lie being pushed by Findley. And no one is countering this lie. Even BSD who has the data for the last decade.6. There is no logical trade off - Between Findley students being bused east to new school for 15 mins vs 15 mins to west to Stoller, vs Springville students having to be bused 1 hour each way to Five Oaks. To put it in Findley parents analogy - choice is between one child who is insisting between favorite color of shoe, at the expense of cutting both legs off of the so called "adopted" kid7. Hopefully better senses prevail in BSD and advisory committee. I request BSD and advisory committee members to travel in peak traffic school time from North Bethany to Five oaks, and do the same from Findley to Timberland/New Middle School. Just one test drive will be enough to make is crystal clear that themes sending North Bethany to Five Oaks are beyond nonsensical.
26	12/18/19	Kaan Oguz	kaanoguzz@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		hiI am curious what BSD's plans were for the middle school boundaries when they decided to build the Timberland MS. Please disclose them. It is very obvious that elementary schools (Findley) to the east of stoller should move to Timberland because the house development is mostly to the west of Stoller. What will happen to those new students?3/4 proposed maps are keeping Findley in the Stoller. I think that this is because of the pressure that Findley parents are putting on the committee. The decision should be fair and abide by the rules set by BSD, not by pressure!! Furthermore, the capacity of the other schools are in question with these proposed maps. I am fine with taking my kid to Timberland if the capacity is <80% and BSD approves the bus service to Timberland. We prefer to stay with Stoller because of the obvious reasons. Please be fair and transparent.Kaan Oguz
27	12/18/19	Leena	leena.balakrishnan.nair@gmail.com	Springville K-8				It's quite disheartening to see that Stoller might not be a middle school for springville. Proximity is a major factor. We don't want our kids to spend around an hour in commute. I hope bsd make the right and unbiased decision
28	12/18/19	Prashant Saxena	Psaxena1@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		The middle school geographically closest to Springville is Stoller; do it doesn't make sense to send Springville students to a middle school (5 Oaks) that is actually located closer to Findlay.

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29	12/18/19	Rupal Shah	rupalashah@yahoo.com	Findley Elem				Taking long term planning into consideration removing Findley from Stoller will not solve the overcrowding problem. Will Stoller already being crowded, district went on to cancelling middle school in Springville adding more to the already crowded Stoller. Even worse rather than building a new middle school the district again build a new elementary school (Sato). Where did the district administrators think kids from Sato were going to go?
30	12/18/19	Shalika Arora	Shalikaarora2010@gmail.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview		Hi ,I have concern with Bethany elementary school boundary. We are in meadow park middle school boundary. And our middle school is not over crowded. Already kids are adjusted to this boundary from many years. Why should our school boundary should go to Five oaks middle school.We are not in favor of boundary map 2,boundary map 3 and boundary map 4.Only school that is overcrowded need to adjust their boundary and we should not change other school boundary.
31	12/18/19	Chin Long Tee	bloodet76@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	ISB	This boundary redraw is no longer just impacting students but is highly tie to the housing price. The fact that most of the people purchasing new home in North Bethany and willing to pay premium to more expensive housing are solely for good school district. The right way to handle this is to build a brand new school for North Bethany but not simply redrawing boundary which did not solve any problem but giving advantage to builder to sale new housing are with premium and later home buyer to pay the price.
32	12/18/19	Mushir Alam	amushir@hotmail.com	Bethany Elem				Hello,I am not satisfied with the MS boundary map theme 4 in which you are putting Bethany elementary school to five oaks. Currently it is in meadow park boundary and I don't see a reason to put this in five oaks.
33	12/18/19	Sharmin Arshi	arshisharmin@yahoo.co.in	Bethany Elem				Hello,I am not satisfied with the MS boundary map theme 4 in which you are putting Bethany elementary school to five oaks. I am happy if you keep it at meadow park since it is not overcrowded. The boundary was supposed to be changed for Stroller school.
34	12/18/19	Ravi Ananthan	B.ananthan@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	ACMA	Dear BSDWith timberland coming up, the MS capacity for the BSD is 18% more than the demand projected in 2025. So it is not a capacity problem anymore.With that, all BSD MS should be between 80-90%. Currently themes 1-4 do not achieve this and clearly more ideas are needed.I would think that using an algorithm is something to look into, since this is a hard problem. Here is one algorithm I found that could be exploredhttps://www.caliper.com/maptitude/solutions/school-boundary-redistricting.htmI urge the BSD to use this opportunity to come with a boundary map that provides Equitable access to all students. I also urge you to be not swayed by the loudest voices. Sincerely, Ravi
35	12/18/19	Khrystyna	khrystyna_1@yahoo.com				ISB	Dear committee members,I'm appalled by the majority of the comments from Findley's parents. They are aggressively pushing their agenda of staying in Stoller completely disrespecting the needs of other affected kids, primarily Springville and Sato. Apparently, long commute times and lack of equality and diversity is ok for kids as long as they aren't Findley kids.It is true that Stoller is the closest middle school to Findley, but it is also the closest middle school to Springville and Sato. And unlike Findley they are not near another middle school which Findley is. Why not have all Findley kids attend the New Middle school? If splitting is the biggest problem then the majority of Findley parents should be onboard, right?Also, the students are being split for high school anyway. With maps 1 and 4 all Stoller kids could go to Westview while New Middle school students will go to Sunset. Splitting Findley means students get to stay with their middle school friends as they move to high school, more critical transition than elementary to middle.Thank you for taking your time serving on the committee
36	12/18/19	Jolene Chen	Sead0418@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		As for Timberland utilization of permanent capacity, theme 1 is 64%, theme 2 is 70%, theme 3 is 64%, theme 4 is 61%. None of these themes reach 90%. When we look at Stoller and Five oak, theme 1 is 113% & 96%, theme 2 is 83% & 134%, theme 3 is 98% & 134%, theme 4 is 131% and 70%. Either Stoller or Five oak is over crowded. We should shift the most far east schools to the new school, so that the function of building a new middle school is well utilized. If we push rock creek and springville to five oaks, that means we shift the problem (i.e., overcrowded students) from Stoller to Five oaks. Rezone means nothing. If people of the most far east schools care about zumma, we can shift zumma to Timberland too. We should make good use of the new school.
37	12/18/19	Jay Liu	Ratsel0821@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		We should follow the feeder pattern:Findley-Timberland-Sunset. Springville-Stoller-WestviewRock creek-Stoller-WestviewIt is impossible that Findley and Springville share the same middle school, but different high schools.
38	12/18/19	Alex Liu	Enigma1013@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Rock creek's economical diversity is the perfect fit for Stoller. Without Rock creek, Hispanic will be less than 2% in Stoller. Traffic of the intersection of 185 ave and US 26 is terrible. Especially there is a fire department. We should take emergency vehicle into consideration. Also long commute time impacts students school life greatly.
39	12/18/19	YY	yyinny@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Don't split Findley! The kids grow up together since kindergarten and they need their friends in Middle School to go through the teenage emotions.
40	12/18/19	Lina	Lg72cu@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Sunset		Springville will over-crowd stoller by 2024, which makes it a bad option. springville reopens 6-8 is a sustainable solution not just for springville, but also for BSD as a whole.
41	12/18/19	Bruce	Bruce0421@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Split feed patterns to middle is detrimental to kids overall development, academic achievement, and emotional health. Don't split Findley or any other elementary schools.
42	12/18/19	Jenny	jz8129@hotmail.com	Findley Elem				Stop splitting Findley! Springville is a huge growing community which need to keep its own Middle school.
43	12/18/19	April Powers	POWERS.VMD@GMAIL.COM	Sato Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Regarding THEME MAP 2: If the numbers for Mountain View are correct (682), it would make the most sense to modify Theme Map 2 the following way in order to achieve desired capacity of schools, allow for growth in Stoller, and still promote equity and diversity: (1) Move Aloha-Huber to Mountain View. (2) This would open up Meadow Park and would allow them to take ALL of SUMMA from north of 26. This would strengthen the program by concentrating teachers and students in one location and allow for more diversity in their classes. (3) Cedar Park would still be under capacity and, as such, could take Rachel Carson option middle school. Rachel Carson would lose their garden and walkability to the food bank, which I know are important, but hopefully they could adjust well and would have more space. (4) Timberland is still under capacity in this map. Due to its location in a stable area, it should be filled to capacity (1100 students). However, it does not make sense to move West TV out of its high school alignment and feeder middle school (Cedar Park) especially when Cedar Park is below capacity with no other avenues to increase its population. Therefore, the only logical school to add to Timberland is Findley (either all of Findley or the already bused areas). (5) Moving Findley and SUMMA out of Stoller allows room for Springville to remain there. Springville has no other reasonable option for middle school. (6) Moving Springville and Rachel Carson out of Five Oaks brings this school back within capacity. Additionally, either the western/Westview-feeding area of Oak Hills could be moved to Five Oaks to keep them within their feeder system/HS or a minor high school boundary change could be made so all of Oak Hills feeds Sunset. If the latter is chosen, you could "swap" a minor adjustment with Jacob Wismer and make all of JW feed Westview. This way, if all of Findley is added to Timberland, Timberland would be comprised of all Sunset feeding schools and Stoller would be all Westview feeders. You would lose the walkability of a portion of Findley to Stoller, but you would gain more equity and diversity in the schools north of 26, plus the continuity of friendships and community with these adjustments.

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44	12/18/19	Stephen Lu	sskiplu@gmail.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview	ISB	<p>Dear committees,I have reviewed all 4 theme maps and did some research about this middle school boundary adjustment.In my opinion and maybe many other people's, fair education resource for each student should be the most important factor followed by the school assignment consistency and the commute easiness (equally important for later two factors.)Based on these three factors, Theme map 1 is the most reasonable and smart proposal to optimal the student right to receive fair education resource with well consideration of the later two factors.In Beaverton school district, there are two middle schools significantly overcrowded: Stoller (by ~87%) and Cedar Park (by ~13%). This significantly impacts the education resources to students in these two school.So, the most important subject in this adjustment is to resolve the capacity issue from these two schools.Using new school as origin and assigning communities to new school from Stoller and Cedar Park based on the radius distance is a great strategy.Moving Rock Creek to Five Oaks and moving Aloha Huber to Mountain View, which is well below capacity allowance (only ~60% currently), are also smart decision to optimize and balance aforementioned factors.Moving Bethany from Meadow Park to Five Oaks in other theme maps is a non-sense idea.First, Meadow Park is currently in good capacity ratio (~96%) and the whole school district area is already well developed. There won't be any substantially student count increase in the future. Keeping the current feeder elementaries to Meadow Park will not create potential capacity issue. So, education resource and school assignment consistency can be well maintained.Second, students from Bethany cannot walk to Five Oaks still because of the cross of HW 26 even though the actual distance is reduced. The distance reduction doesn't really benefit the commute easiness.Therefore, moving Bethany to Five Oaks is just sacrificing the school assignment consistency factor without getting any benefit.In summary, within the posted four theme maps, I strongly believe the theme map 1 is the most reasonable solution to resolve the studence education resource issue in Stoller and Cedar Park.Thank you for your time reading my comments and hope you can take my comment into the consideration.</p>
45	12/19/19	Tara Powers	torandpowers@hotmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>Dear members of the community, I attended the new middle school adjustment meeting, and for one of these maps represent the objectives set forth by BSD, nor do they aid in creating equity for all children in the Beaverton School District. In defense of the mapping sessions, BSD states these maps were created by the community. Really? They were commandeered over the course of many "mapping sessions" by the most but affluent portion of the our district! Ask both Rock Creek and Springville parent's tonight if these maps fairly represent them? The answer will be a resounding "NO!" Ask parents from the southern portion of your district if the maps fairly represent their schools? Objectives to handle growth in the southern part of the district has not even been addressed. How can these maps be a "starting place" when they ONLY represent what the Findley community put forth! You might as well be only holding your "visionary workshops" at INTEL, and then say, "We have a community consensus!" We all paid for OUR new middle school to the tune of \$61M or more? I'm furious that ALL FOUR maps we will be reviewing tonight show Timberland WAY under capacity. Isn't the district's FIRST priority to fill the new middle school? THIS SHOULD BE OUR STARTING POINT! Why are we even looking at maps that have Timberland at 61% or Stoller at 167%! Furthermore, every single map has Findley occupying some part of Stoller. For the sake of being logical, AT LEAST ONE MAP should have Findley completely removed from Stoller. Timberland needs to be filled and Stoller must release schools and their "options". BDS and the committee owe it to the community to look at the data when Findley is removed. What's more important for BSD? Equity in ALL middle school capacities OR walkability, because that's probably what it will come down to. To the seven board members who are NOT representing Stoller, please request this: population is paramount and every school should have reasonable class sizes. This should trump whether or not your kid gets to walk to school. This is NOT an unreasonable exercise. Remove Findley. No split, just so we can see the data. Look at how this refines feeder patterns. Ideally, Timberland should feed Sunset and Stoller should feed Westview. I'm a Rock Creek parent and I want the best for ALL our children. This whole process has been disappointing. I can think of hundreds of ways to have represented EVERY single elementary school fairly. Can't you see that your process is severely biased towards those who have the affluence to show up? What if you held your meetings at 2am? Would that be fair? Most people work late and have kids and need childcare so they can attend these meetings. I am standing up for a fairer process and am asking the committee reach down deep and attend to that. I am NOT going to say what middle school I want my child to attend, but I implore every committee member to hear this: PLEASE look at EVERY school, it's population and economic diversity and when you are considering middle school movement, please make sure that EVERY child is represented with equity. We have the poorest school by far in the northern part of our district and many of our parents can't show up in-force to these adjustment meetings, nor would they</p>
46	12/19/19	Jessica Baker	jessicanoellebaker@gmail.com	Cedar Mill Elem	Cedar Park MS	Sunset		<p>To the boundary committee:Thank you for your work and commitment to this process. I am unable to attend in person, but want to share feedback on the initial maps that have been presented.As a Cedar Mill Elementary parent, I am happy with the options. They all keep our small community together in feeding to the same middle school. This is important to me because social connections make the transition to middle school easier. Our school only has about 75 entering 6th graders each year, so allowing them to maintain their friendships by all attending the same middle school is helpful!It also makes sense to me that the Cedar Mill students attend the new middle school. The new middle school is solidly within our school's geographic boundary. It would be inefficient to bus them somewhere else. I know this process is challenging, but I appreciate that, at least for our small population, the choices you have presented make sense and benefit our kids.Sincerely,Jessica Baker</p>
47	12/19/19	Kavitha	kavi.moorthy@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>In my opinion, Findley elementary kids need to continue to feed into Stoller. We live very close to Stoller at 1.1miles and 4.3 miles away from Five-oaks and 3.2 miles away from Timberland MS. I strongly believe that Neighborhood school is an important requirement for community safety & greater levels of parent involvement which makes Stoller as a great neighborhood school to Findley community. Please do the right thing!On the other side, It's all about giving all students an learning opportunity at best ranked schools. My request is that the committee should consider to take necessary action to reform other BSD middle schools ratings.</p>
48	12/19/19	G	ginushmp@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>Remaining in existing boundaries for Findley is important to us in a couple ways - 1. for kids, social and emotional health is important, specially being with the same peers they grew up with to be there for them is important for the kids at this age. 2. I have a middle schooler walking daily to Stoller and back, and the kid enjoys the physical exercise before and after a long day in school. Which is important for them at this age.</p>
49	12/19/19	Sami	Samira_ranjbarian@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>By sending Rockcreek, Sato, Springville, Jacob wismere to Stoller And Findly, bonyslope, terralinda and cedermill to timberland , we will meet the agenda of keeping stoller under 90% capacity and filling Timberland to the fullest capacity. Meanwhile each ES has to travel only less than 4 miles to their MS. This way we keep traffic away from 185th and highway 26.</p>
50	12/19/19	Maryam	Marjanpdx@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>Reviewing the 4 maps that district posted recently, non of the 4 maps meet the agenda of lowering stoller capacity!!! It it is still over 100% and timberland less than what it should! They haven't considered high traffic on 185th ave.</p>
51	12/19/19	Naser	Naser.ranjbarian@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>I don't get it why Findly doesn't want to go to a brand new school along with all the good elementary schools. Plus Timberland is so close to their neighborhood. Less than 3 miles. And for this unreasonable argument they are forcing Rockcreek to go to five oaks which is on the other side of highway 26 and more than 6 miles ! This makes the traffic really worse. Have the district considered high school feeders by changing the boundaries? Shouldn't all the students from one MS feed to the same high school.</p>
52	12/19/19	Brian Trombley	btrombley@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			<p>We live less than 0.5 miles from Stoller and our older child walks there every school day. We want our younger son to do the same when he reaches 6th grade. We've raised our kids to do their part to help the environment, which includes walking/biking to school. While we appreciate the pressure in realigning boundaries, we humbly ask that we keep the kids who are within walking distance of Stoller as Stoller attendees.</p>
53	12/19/19	Karthik	gkk_uict@yahoo.co.in		Stoller MS	Westview		<p>Dear BSD committee members, I came across 4 theme maps that were released and surprised to see some maps re-organizing Springville elementary into Five oaks middle school boundary. I strongly believe that Springville school is unreasonably far from five oaks (around 5 miles) with the busiest 185th intersection that significantly increases commute time (45+ minutes each way). This would have adverse issues on Kids academic and personal careers. I always believed BSD had shown desire towards equity by providing more diverse schools to kids. If Springville is removed from Stoller school boundary, it would result in minimally diverse (ethnically and economically). Can you please also help clarify objectives when Timberland middle school was built?Geographically, Findley and other schools in NE neighborhood are natural feeders to Timberland. I believe Springville elementary was unnecessarily fed into this middle school boundary adjustment intentionally by some communities. In summary, even if walk-ability is a factor; Whole of Findley should be feeded to Timberland for equity. In addition, please also consider high school feeding patterns. If all of the Findley goes to Timberland, then they could feed Sunset 100%. In addition, committee members please provide equal representation to Springville and voice our concerns.</p>

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54	12/19/19	Glen Marcusen	glen.marcusen@oregonzoo.org	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear Middle School Boundary Adjustment Committee, After reviewing the most recently proposed theme maps, it is obvious that Findley elementary is over-represented by multiple committee members, or there would at least be one scenario showing Findley entirely omitted from Stoller due to its student population and proximity to Timberland. It has clearly been an unfair process influenced by biased parents rallying for their interests. The committee members with the financial wherewithal to volunteer and vocally participate in the process are being disproportionately heard; while less advantaged parents have been left out and silenced by their inability to participate. BSD leadership needs comments and viewpoints from the families impacted to understand the problems and challenges faced, but should have employed an impartial team, comprised of representatives from ALL elementary schools potentially effected by these changes, or one with no parents at all. It is also foolhardy and unrealistic to expect that parents wanting the best situations for their children, would or could produce a magical solution for school boundaries that could be universally agreed upon. Neighbors, duking-it-out for their child's welfare, cannot yield optimal and fair results and we should have NEVER been put in that position. It is the express job of BSD leadership to propose meaningful solutions for these problems. If not, what are you being paid for? Workable solutions will only come from a conscientious analysis of ALL data and an even-handed approach to ALL schools. The first priority and imperative of BSD and the boundary committee should be to reduce class sizes at ALL schools throughout the district. Large class sizes impede learning, are hard to manage for teachers and greatly diminish the quality of education at any school. No solutions (maps, themes etc.) should be suggested or considered, that do not accomplish this rudimentary baseline objective! It is absolutely irresponsible to have a brand new middle school at 60 to 70 percent occupancy while other schools are grossly over-capacity by 30% or more. It is embarrassing that these maps were put forward, even as a starting point. It is the responsibility and obligation of BSD and the Boundary Adjustment Committee to present ALL map variations, even those that exclude Findley entirely from Stoller, to see how that alternative changes the population and equity make-up of Timberland and the surrounding schools. We ALL need to consider comprises and realize that the best solution for EVERYONE may not make any of us happy in all respects. In fairness to ALL the families effected by these potential changes, we need to present the range of map options, not just the cherry-picked maps of our liking. This is the ONLY ethical way to proceed and anything less amounts to an egregious manipulation of the public process and won't be tolerated. It is my expectation and demand, as a Rock Creek Elementary parent, taxpayer in Beaverton School District, neighbor and a citizen of this community to be treated ethically and fairly and with the same respect that I afford my neighbors. Families and students at Findley are no more entitled to
55	12/19/19	Anupriya Agarwal	Anupriyaag@yahoo.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview		Hello Middle school boundary adjustment committee, We live at the crossing of Laidlaw and OakCreek (near West Union). Stoller Middle School is about 1.5 miles away from our home. And it is straight on Laidlaw. Kids can walk Stiller MS. Still, our assigned middle school is Meadow Park, which is over 4 miles away from our house. If middle school boundaries are being adjusted, then we will request that out middle school is assigned to Stoller Middle School. Regards Anupriya
56	12/19/19	Shalini	shalinikaruppiah@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	I do not agree with the idea of splitting elementary school. Findley/Jacob Wismer have stoller ms within their walking limits. And also the population of the Findley and Jacob Wismer area are saturated. These criterias make Findley and Jacob Wismer a natural feeder schools to Stoller. Springville's growing population does not stop when Findley and Jacob Wismer students are split and put in a new middle school. The springville's growing population needs a different middle school and they can reconsider having their Springville 6 to 8 program for a little while until they get a new middle School in their area. Thanks!
57	12/19/19	Meenakshi Babu	Meenzmohan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	HS2/SST	Please help to make sure Springville Elementary students go to Stoller middle School
58	12/19/19	Jian Kang	kjimmy007@hotmail.com	Findley Elem				So please help me understand what's going on. Springville had a new middle school. But rather than enrolling there, most choose to enroll in Stoller which is farther away but somehow regarded as 'better'. Springville middle school enrollment is low thus get closed. Now Stoller hits a size limit, so their decision is to push kids originally in Stoller community into another new middle school. Is it as simple as that?
59	12/19/19	Sachin P	Sach_praj@yahoo.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview		I would like Bethany elementary school to have the middle school as meadow park middle school instead of proposed five oaks middle school
60	12/19/19	Falguni	Falguni.Praj@gmail.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS			Keep existing meadow park middle school for Bethany elementary kids.
61	12/19/19	Marwa Hegazy	marwa_hegazy77@yahoo.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS			For Bethany elementary area, Stoller MS is the closest middle school to us. Please we urge the committee to let Bethany Elementary School feed into Stoller Middle School or keep it as it is now to feed Meadow Park.
62	12/19/19	Sriyakshmi Bhattu	sri_battu2002@yahoo.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview	HS2/SST	I don't agree with proposed boundary change.
63	12/19/19	Asfiya Osman	asfiya.osman@gmail.com	Bethany Elem	Meadow Park MS	Westview	ISB	I am not in favor of the proposal of moving Bethany elementary school from Meadow park middle schools boundary.
64	12/19/19	Madhu Rangarajan	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Frankly, what a ridiculous process. You pit neighbors against neighbors. You have a committee with members from just one side of this who are responsible for the final recommendation. You have a bunch of privileged parents who have the time to show up driving all the discourse. I truly hope you make a choice for all the children of the district and not just a bunch of ultra privileged (I count myself as one too). If this outcome appears to favour the loudest and most privileged, the district will no doubt need to answer for it and would have failed its children. Thanks, Madhu
65	12/19/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	I noticed in the 19th meeting that the Findley committee member just dismissed themes without Findley in it outright without attempting to even refine the map further. This process without representation from Springville and Rock Creek is bound to result in a windfall for lawyers.
66	12/19/19	Alireza	avanaki@yahoo.com	Findley Elem				My name is Alireza from Findley community. Please don't divide Findley community and let Findley feed Stoller. Findley elementary has been feeding Stoller for almost close to a quarter century. Findley families have been supporting toward Stoller growth, helping make Stoller what it is today, with countless volunteer hours and fundraising events. Stoller success is largely because of the neighborhood support structure, so please DO NOT ruin it, copy it for other middle schools, where possible. A large portion of Findley (about 47% now and 73% with upcoming trails) is within walking distance to Stoller, many kids on the south of Bronson creek too walk to Stoller. Entire Findley community is within 2 miles of Stoller. New THPRD trails, approved as of 2016 show that more of Findley will be in walkable zone. We need a stable and long-term solution for overcrowding problem at Stoller. If Springville to Five Oaks travel (a maximum of 5.2 miles) is considered suffering, then Findley to Timberland (a maximum of 4.2 miles) is not any less, not to mention all the walking kids need to be bussed. JW and Findley have enrollments are going down the coming decade, as per PSU projections. Sato is a growing community and geographically closer to Stoller as well. JW, Findley, Sato is the perfect recipe for Stoller for stable enrollment. The projections from BSD show that stoller enrollment in theme2 for 2025 meets permanent capacity numbers and after 2025, enrollment trends indicate theme2 stoller numbers do not increase. JW and Findley should be part of Stoller by default as Stoller was established in between JW and Findley. Findley Community is a small close-knit community. Splitting such a small school is detrimental to the entire community. Most people google to see what Bronson Creek is. There is a healthy friendship and interaction between the families on either side of Bronson Creek. Bronson Creek is an arbitrary line, not a natural divider. Please don't divide Findlay based on imaginary boundaries. Timberland school has natural feeders around the school: West TV, Cedar Mill, Bonny Slope, Terra Linda, Oak Hill.
67	12/19/19	Vijay Agrawal	vijay2103@yahoo.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		One of our primary objectives is to bring Stoller enrollment to 90 percent of its permanent capacity. With the creation of Timberland, BSD no longer has an overpopulation problem. This board needs to ensure that every middle school in the district is near capacity without deviating by more than 5 to 10%. The maps we created as a community are a failure. All four resulted in Stoller or Five Oaks being overpopulated to between 134 and 167 percent of their permanent capacity. Timberland, which was created to alleviate the overpopulation of its middle school neighbors is being utilized to between 61 and 70 percent on these maps, which all show at least one other school under 70 percent capacity. Also, if the goal is to alleviate overpopulation from Stoller, our first consideration should always be to move SUMMA to a school that is not overpopulated since it does not have to be at Stoller. Because of Timberland's proximity to Sunset High and because our goal is to focus on feeder patterns, we need to identify Sunset-feeding elementary schools from its three neighboring middle schools that are relatively close to Timberland. If our objective is to reduce Stoller's population, that task must start with the eastern most Stoller students who zone to Sunset. None of these maps move an entire elementary school from Stoller to Timberland despite our objective. Instead, two of these maps are calling for Springville to have an unreasonable commute through traffic while every other school that feeds to Stoller has multiple closer options. The eastern most Stoller-feeding elementary school is literally closer to Five Oaks, Meadow Park and Timberland than Springville is. Three of these maps are sending the most socioeconomically and racially diverse populations away from Stoller to a school that is already disadvantaged, thereby resulting in Stoller becoming a school for privileged families while Five Oaks absorbs the schools with the highest percentages of children with discounted or free lunches. None of these maps take the next step to ensure that Five Oaks is rebalanced by pulling other Westview-feeding populations in to balance the socioeconomic diversity, challenge Stoller academically and ensure it is feeding to only one high school. Our challenge as a community is the same challenge of this committee, which does not represent all elementary schools impacted by rezoning: we need to put the good of the entire community ahead of the good of just our own children. We need to take a step back and accept that these maps are a failure and start new with a different process that considers data over the loudest voices in the room.

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68	12/19/19	Jeremy Johnson	doublej13@att.net	Rock Creek Elem				I think there was a flaw in the process because there was not equal representation by the elementary schools during the initial visioning process. Parents from school in the norther part of the district are not going to be able to determine what feels like a natural boundary to a different neighborhood. I know for Rock Creek, most people say Highway 26 is a natural boundary, but that was not represented by the themes represented. So these maps do not answer the question.Instead, parents just saw the opportunity to suggest an answer that would align with their goals (I want my kids to stay at Stoller so let's move other schools out of Stoller).
69	12/19/19	Bruce	bruce0421@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Taking Findley and Summa out won't solve the problem in the long run. With the two fast growing communities (Sato and Springville), Stoller will become overcrowded soon.
70	12/19/19	Luis B	lobf99@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Thanks to the committee members for their service. This committee shouldn't recommend a boundary where Findley students that currently walk to Stoller end up in a 4 mile bus ride vs Springville students already on a bus get an additional 2-3 miles.Springville area to Five Oaks is similar to some Bonny Slope areas thru Hwy26 to Cedar Park today and similar to Aloha-Huber areas to Five Oaks. The distances are not preferable, but they are certainly reasonable. Please start with Map 2 and leave Bethany ES in Meadow Park to alleviate Five Oaks. Five Oaks could potentially feed 100% into Westview.About Summa in Stoller, keep in mind that only students inside the Stoller boundary attends Summa in Stoller today. Removing Summa from Stoller may be a deceptive approach as families may decide to stay in Stoller rather that attending Summa elsewhere, thus keeping Stoller overcrowded.
71	12/19/19	Lina	lg72cu@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Sunset		Springville is still growing, which will make Stoller over-crowded again soon. It is a waste of resources and everyone's time to settle for this option now, knowing that the same issue will arise soon.
72	12/19/19	Zhongtao	ztfu@yahoo.com		Stoller MS	Sunset		Stoller hosts SUMMA students from multiple middle school neighborhoods. Moving SUMMA out will disrupt the existing system too much, such as school bus system.
73	12/19/19	Kiran	gkk_uict@yahoo.co.in		Stoller MS	Westview		Today (12/19/2019), I attended middle school boundary meeting and I was surprised to hear concerns raised about long commute times about Summa kids while same empathy was not expressed for Springville community kids travelling unreasonably long commute times (45 min). Hope committee members understand that longer commute times have extremely adverse affects on kids and make a right decision that would not affect single community to a single extent. Since sources are limited, each and every community need to chip-in in equal amount.
74	12/19/19	Michele Simantel	michele.simantel@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		– I believe it is important in this process to keep focused on the goal of making sure that enrollment is evenly distributed across the middle school attendance areas. None of the current 4 themes achieves this. Timberland and Cedar Park need to be utilized to the same degree as Five Oaks and Stoller. – Rock Creek should be kept with a one of it's "sister schools", which are perceived in the community as Bethany and Springville. Our kids play sports together, participate in after school activities and generally connect with kids from those schools. If Rock Creek gets moved to Five Oaks, it is my belief that either Bethany or Springville should go as well. If Rock Creek is pulled on it's own we would loose connection with our current community of neighboring schools. Please consider keeping Rock Creek with some form of community connection as these decisions are made. We do not want to felt "cast off" with none of our current community. – The district needs to consider socioeconomic diversity in this process. This is a chance to balance the populations of our middle schools to better reflect our shared goals of inclusiveness and diversity. Time should be taken to evaluate whether the district wants to create a middle school with a predominately affluent and privileged families while sending Rock Creek, the most economically and racially diverse school in the Stoller feeder pattern, to Five Oaks, which currently absorbs the schools with high free/reduced lunch families. – Walkability is a great idea – however, maintaining the ability of a few to walk to to school at the expense of establishing direct feeder system is putting the good of a few before the good of the whole. There are a many examples of children that live close to one school but are currently bused to another (For example, many kids that live in the Rock Creek boundary can see Springville, but are bused to Rock Creek). Thank you for listening.
75	12/19/19	Jian	hejian0301@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	I am so surprised during tonight's meeting the Findley parent in committee only concerned if Findley can get in stoller, looks like that is all his mission in committee, why he is still not removed from committee since he has very obvious interest, he should be removed to keep the fairness.
76	12/19/19	YY	yyinny@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Findley has been an established feeder school for Stoller since its opening which has formed a strong community in the neighborhood. It is unfair and unethical to destroy such positive community by to other neighborhood's request.
77	12/20/19	kobika	Kobika_gu@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I went to the meeting tonight and want to leave my comments here: 1. Take the member Abhijit off from this case. He is unfair and not logical. 2. Feed the new middle school first. 3. Five oaks don't have enough parking lot and driving through place . How can we feed them more students. It's already overflow. 4. Findley goes to sunset HS and the other Elementary schools go to west view HS, from this point , it make sense to let Findley goes to new middle school.5. Please treat every student equally.
78	12/19/19	Karl	KarlLagen@aol.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Good Evening BSD,Through today's meeting, we found a strange phenomenon, why the members of the BSD committee have Findley's representative speaking, and all about their advantages. But no Springville representative? No Rock creek representative? This is too principleless. We agree that school districts have many schools. First, every school must have a representative to express their position. Secondly, there should be no members of the BSD committee related to this division of the school district. Please ask all BSD staff to think it over. Because we think it's unfair. We want to hear the voices of other schools, not just members of one school who are there talking about themselves. I hope you start from the big picture! Give parents a reasonable reason!
79	12/19/19	John Ayers	ayersmail@msn.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I have driven the streets north of highway 26 for 22 years. The southbound traffic Saltzman is more congested and with less drainage capacity than either 185th or Bethany, both of which are significantly two lanes in each direction. If commute time and traffic congestion are the metric then Findley students being pushed out of Stoller and into Timberland is the worst choice. There is a fire–station that originates near Saltzman and Thompson and there will be measurable impact to response times using Thompson to Saltzman southbound.We have attend Findley --> Stoller --> Sunset for 6 children since 2006. I have direct testimony that that combination has been ideal. We have been attending Stoller for 13 and half years. We have been part of each and every neighborhood hall and know all the teachers. We have spent countless hours of invested volunteer time and invested donation dollars. Over 13.5 years we have effectively built part of Stroller. Our youngest has already spent significant time with siblings at Stoller for plays, sporting events, art and science events, etc. We are intertwined with Jacob Wismer and Stoller area families for sibling–sibling friendships, sports teams, clubs, and community events (Stoller 5k, etc. etc). Theme 2 as a start point is clearly the closest to the objective of 90% permanent capacity at Stoller. It is already not sustainable to assume that the less "population stable" regions of Springville and Sato combined will meet the Stoller capacity objective. It is already over the limits and not sustainable for any time at all.Please recognize that Theme 2 with Findley retaining their current Stoller attendance is the path to stability for the established families, walk–able distance and overall reduced bus ridership, 90% permanent capacity sustainability, and commute congestion reduction. Springville residence are new to the region and they certainly must have research the sustainability of Springville capacity to new housing as we did when we selected a house within close proximity to Stoller and with consider the areas for new houses any closer to Stoller than our house.Please do not push our last of six children out of the school we know and have been part of so long.

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80	12/19/19	Yang Cheng	yanchengchris@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I support MS boundary Idea map Theme 2. - Proximity - Closest middle school to Findley is Stoller - around 0.1-1.5 miles - Sibling school - A right for siblings to attend the same school -Development possible. So Findley numbers feeding into Stoller will be stable. - Legacy - For several years findley has been feeding into Stoller - Removing Findley from Stoller is not a solution! Long term solution is to propose Springville and Rockcreek to move to Five Oaks as Springville is growing community. - JacobWismer, Findley and Sato feed to Stoller - according to the distance
81	12/19/19	Arun	mys.scribe@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Thank you Advisory committee members for doing a phenomenal job of trying to swift through all the data and trying to solve the problem on behalf of the BSD community. I was watching live streaming of the proceedings today and wanted to share my observation. Most of the committee members shared their thoughtful insights and tried sharing their perspective to solve the problem. I also observed that few of the committee members came across atleast to me as not representing the entire BSD community but rather as representing only a specific community. You may think that being a Springville parent, I may be biased but if you watch the video and the specific comments, I am sure people will have similar observation. I hope Mr. Sparks and BSD are taking a note of this and hope they advise all the members to represent the entire community and not just a section of that. I have full confidence in the BSD committee that they will be able to see through this more objectively and come up with a solution which is in the best interest of all the kids of the community
82	12/19/19	Min Pan-Lee	minni_pan@hotmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		What does it mean by say ""the whole Springville is already bused, so just bus them somewhere else". Is 10 mins the same as 60 mins? One side, insists Findley kids not be bused; on the other side, requests to bus Springville kids 5 times further than Findley kids. Should all kids be treated the same? Where is the equality? I strongly require to exclude the biased committee member Abhijit from future meetings as a member. I can't believe the statement he made qualifying his current position. I believe that everyone who has watched this meeting have the same opinion -- removing Abhijit from the committee. He is welcome to represent Findley after be removed from the committee, but he should not do that right now.
83	12/20/19	Carol	2002fadacaile@gmail.com	Sato Elem	Stoller MS			Throughout the meeting, a member of the BSD committee called Abhijit had a strong tendency to speak. We think he should be the representative of Findlay. But do other schools have no members? How to treat it correctly? We all think he should avoid being a member of the school district. This way BSD is more convincing!Thank you.
84	12/20/19	Arun	mys.scribe@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			One of the testimonials from a Findley parent mentioned that – He drives 3 miles in traffic and he doesn't like that and he doesn't want his kids to experience that. My question to the parents of Findley is, If you personally are not okay to travel 3 miles in a road which is not heavily trafficked, does the same logic not apply to all the BSD kids. I thank him for his comment, because they indirectly acknowledge that Springville to Five Oaks is an absurd argument. Do you think it is fair for Springville kids to travel 5+ miles one way in one of the heavy traffic roads in the Beaverton area? Just do a simple google map search and see how much time in car it takes to go from Springville community in the north to five oaks during peak hrs and consider that the school bus takes more time than a typical car. Imagine the plight of kids who will start at school at 4:00 PM and reach home at 5:00 – 5:30 PM? One other Findley parent in the testimonial mentioned that Springville kids are already bused, why can't they go another 2 miles extra. The same is applicable to the Findley kids as well. Not everyone is walking to the school. Lot of them come via the bus provided by BSD. I can understand that Findley parents are trying to protect their kids interest, but my humble request is also to be considerate to all other kids in the community. I liked the comment of the student representative of the committee, " Both are not ideal, but she will chose the lesser of the evil and will retain Springville in Stoller and not send them far down to Five oaks". I am impressed with the youngsters approach and her ability to use logical reasoning to solve the problem of the community. Something for the grown ups to learn from a youngster.
85	12/20/19	Xinjie yang	xinjieyang001@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		As mentioned before, what we concerned most is our kids may have to put more than reasonable time busing to school, I believe that Every kids are the same, they deserve to be treated equally. So we tried to make proposal ensure every elementary school has reasonable choice. Maybe not the best, but have to be under the same standard and can be taken. We all aware that kids— our& yours & everyone's kids will influence most from this boundary change. Then I was really shocked at one committee member Abhijit Sathaye's statement at meeting 12–19 : since Springville has been bused, so just bus them some where This was simply uncared for Springville kids, and even all bused kids in district. If a kid has been taking bus 30mins to school, do you think adding another 20mins one way is a easy choice some where? Is there any concerns for this committee member that kids bus time better be limited in a reasonable line? Oh, no, he has a standard, for findley kids— shortest busing time. For other kids— doesn't matter— just help findley kids keeping their best routines. Please, you seat there for all Stoller kids, treat them equally. Or you better quit to stand in front of findley communities, maybe that will be a better choice for you. Thank you.
86	12/20/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	In the Dec 19th meeting, the Findley committee member sounded more like a Findley parent giving testimonials. If part of the committee is not going to look out for the whole community, it is highly problematic that there is no Springville and Rockcreek representation in the committee.
87	12/20/19	Sara Gardner-Smith	Sarasmith4290@gmail.com	Raleigh Park Elem	Cedar Park MS	Beaverton		Raleigh Park is a small school with minimal impact to MS enrollment numbers. There is no reason why it should be split where it currently is! Theme 1 nap carved out a small, maybe 10% portion of Raleigh Park to send to a different MS than the rest of the Elementary school (which is a clean feeder into Beaverton HS). This oversight should be corrected in future iterations of the maps to retain Raleigh Park ES into the MS selection that makes the most sense, then on to Beaverton. Don't keep the school split just because that's how the old lines were drawn. Use this opportunity to bring it together. (Referring to the section south of Walker Rd, east of 217, north of Beaverton-Hillsdale, and west of what looks like SW 99th area.)
88	12/20/19	Luanne	lubon@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Why every theme map shows some portion of Findley at Stoller? Because this is what common sense dictates. It's the theme captured even in the maps drawn by the Springville families and in earlier comments. Now that DATA is out, some are backtracking their own common sense maps.Demographic DATA was released yesterday. It shows both Springville and Findley are wealthy/mostly Asian areas. No significant differences in equity left in Stoller.Next DATA will be transportation cost. It's our tax dollars after all. Let's agree now to use them wisely. Right??? There are areas in the district today where middle schoolers travel ~5 miles. Take north of Bonny Slope (Laidlaw) crossing Hwy 26 to Cedar Park. At the end, I hope common sense and DATA driven decisions will prevail. It seems so far, Findley should stay in Stoller.
89	12/20/19	Madhu R	mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Objectives: Fill Timberland, Reduce StollerLogical Path: 1. Move out option programs (SUMMA)2. Move neighborhoods closest to Timberland from Stoller to Timberland3. Minimize system-wide disruptionsLogical constraints: Bus commute times across BSD, demographicsEverything else is emotional and subjective.Walkability - A privilege reserved to very few middle schoolers across BSDSplit-feeders - Lots of folks talking out of both sides of their of their mouth here.. Don't split elementary but they're perfectly fine with the split from middle to high school.I could go on with all the emotional hot buttons, but I hope most of the committee members will act on this logically and I was heartened to see that a majority of the committee were open, collaborative and logical.

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90	12/20/19	Sharon Zell		sharonzell@yahoo.com		Rock Creek Elem		Stoller MS		Westview		HS2/SST		<p>At the last boundary adjustment, BSD pledged to focus more on equity. Equity is part of the mission statement of the district. The current maps do not, in any way, address issues of equity. Some schools are still overcrowded, while others are under capacity. This is not equitable. In some maps, a highly privileged school gets to capacity by overcrowding a struggling Title 1 school. This is not equity.Current maps have focused primarily on proximity/walkability, to the exclusion of myriad other factors. The location of middle schools may not be perfect, but it is what we have. In order to create equity, some children may end up riding the bus when they would prefer to walk. Like all the other parents, I want my child to have a good middle school experience. As a Rock Creek parent, I urge the committee to look at our larger community and keep Rock Creek with at least one of our close neighbors—Springville and Bethany. Both Springville and Bethany attend Westview, which allows our students to go to high school with some friends. They are also neighbors who interact and overlap with sports and other neighborhood activities. BSD must realize that parents are likely to create maps that reflect their own interests. Now BSD must start the very hard work of directing the committee to focus on the district's values—especially equity—in the process going forward. BSD must be able to clearly articulate how decisions are made, and they cannot allow wealth and privilege to continue to be the loudest, most influential voices in this process.</p>	
91	12/20/19	Michelle Chesire		michelle.chesire@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS				ISB		<p>As the Stoller MS boundary options are being reviewed, please consider the traffic patterns around the middle school. Currently, the traffic pattern are overwhelming at drop off and pick up. Please talk to bus drivers, parents and the principal so an informed decision can be made.</p>	
92	12/20/19	Lauren Garrett		macrhoades@gmail.com		Raleigh Park Elem								<p>Raleigh Park is a unique, small school that actually stretches quite far beyond the immediate neighborhood surrounding the school. The school's boundary includes all the neighborhoods to 217 between Beaverton Hillsdale Highway and Canyon Road. Depending on where a RP student resides, Whitford and Cedar Park can be equally close or far. Despite some interpretations of Raleigh Park Elementary's geographic footprint, it is inaccurate to state that for the majority of students feeding into RP, Whitford is a "quick jaunt" up Scholls Ferry Road. Raleigh Park is proud to be a PYP school, and we are working hard to ensure that we continue to embed the values and community-focus of PYP curriculum throughout our community, despite the district's elimination of PYP program support funding for this calendar year . If we are fortunate enough to return to a fully-operating PYP status, I encourage the committee to consider the continuity between Raleigh Park's PYP focus and the IB status of Cedar Park. Developing and continuing a PYP/IB learning focus for students is a critically-important feature of supporting all students in our school. Raleigh Park currently is a split-feeder elementary, with a small population of our students attending Cedar Park. Split-feeders at either the elementary or middle school bring hardship and challenges to students, and the more we can do to support the emotional and social well-being of our students through continued familiarity and friendships, we should. Please focus on eliminating split-feeder options and keep students together so they can focus on the academic challenges of education, of which there are many.</p>	
93	12/20/19	Kathyayani		every999@yahoo.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset				<p>BSD has a mandate of reducing overcrowding in Stoller and filling Timberland.If Springville and Sato are both in Stoller, the numbers will just not work. Even with Findley completely removed, Stoller will be over 1500 in 2026 vs. the goal of 972. Springville and Sato are both growing while FE is shrinking. So the only way to make the numbers work is to have just one growing community in Stoller. If we have JW & Findley & Sato, it peaks at 1139 in 2025, but after that it actually starts declining. So the over capacity is just temporary and would be below capacity by 2029.Neighborhood proximity and accessibility is one of your Policy JC factors and is a great one. I realize some of the committee members may feel differently based on personal experience, but the vast community here, feels otherwise. Walking is important and is one of BSD's guiding policies. It needs to stay that way. Stoller is actually at the boundary of JW and FE and had it been a 100 feet over, it would be inside FE's boundary. Today about half of Findley can walk to Stoller but that number will be 73% with upcoming THPRD trails. It goes against every BSD policy to take walking students and bus them elsewhere. I also realize that not all neighborhoods have a MS, and these kids have to be bussed no matter what. However, just because some kids don't have a neighborhood school, that is no reason to deprive kids of a neighborhood school for those who have one! While it may seem like if we move Findley to Timberland, none of the other boundaries need to be touched, that is entirely wrong for two reasons1.The numbers just don't add up 2.It is also an opportunity to fix the other Middle school boundaries with multiple split feeders. When it comes to Timberland, one thing a lot of folks are missing is that Timberland is now West TV's neighborhood school, and they want to go there. I really hope the committee listens to what people are saying. Put West TV in Timberland and it is possible to make the rest of the boundaries work out.While there are many options to fill Timberland, there aren't as many options to reduce overcrowding at Stoller. In summary, by retaining Findley in Stoller, you will be able to solve the overcrowding in a sustainable manner, maximize walking, while doing the right thing for the student's health and the planet.</p>	
94	12/20/19	Leda Mareth		ledamareth@hotmail.com		Rock Creek Elem		Stoller MS		Westview				<p>A primary objective is to bring Stoller enrollment to 90 percent of its capacity. Since Timberland has solved BSD's overpopulation problem, we need to ensure that every middle school is near capacity without deviating by more than 10%. The maps we created are a failure. All four resulted in Stoller or Five Oaks being overpopulated to between 134 and 167 percent. Timberland was created to alleviate overpopulation and is between 61 and 70 percent capacity on these maps, which all show multiple schools under 70 percent capacity. To alleviate overpopulation from Stoller, we need to move schools from Stoller to Timberland, starting with SUMMA.Because of Timberland's proximity to Sunset and with a focus on feeder patterns, we need to identify Sunset-feeding elementary schools from neighboring middle schools that are relatively close to Timberland. To reduce Stoller's population, we must start with the eastern-most Stoller students who zone to Sunset. These maps do not move an entire elementary school from Stoller to Timberland despite our objective. Instead, these maps call for Springville and Rock Creek to have an unreasonable commute through very heavy traffic while Findley is closer to every alternative than Springville and has an alternate middle school with a shorter commute than either Rock Creek or Springville when considering traffic.Three of these maps are sending the most socioeconomically and racially diverse populations away from Stoller to a disadvantaged school, resulting in a privileged Stoller while Five Oaks absorbs the schools with the highest percentages of children with discounted or free lunches. If northern schools are moved to Five Oaks despite traffic concerns, its composition must change by pulling other Westview-feeding populations in to balance the socioeconomic diversity and to challenge Stoller academically.Our challenge as a community is the same as this committee, which does not represent all elementary schools impacted by rezoning: we need to put the good of the entire community ahead of the good of just our own children. We need to step back and accept that these maps are a failure and start a new process that considers data over the loudest voices in the room.</p>	
95	12/20/19	Jyothsna Rao		kandappamom@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset				<p>The Findley community had prepared an extensive proposal with data and a map with no split feeders that actually meets all the numbers. My question is, while Springville's proposal was published online, why was ours not published? This proposal was sent for publishing on the website over two weeks ago. Please give everyone an equal chance. This is supposed to be a democratic process. It is very unfair to publish one school's proposal online and withhold a proposal from another one. I sincerely hope this is fixed today and you ensure the committee and the public get to see it. We just want fair and equal representation.</p>	
96	12/20/19	Kathyayani		every999@yahoo.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset				<p>Please provide walkability maps. Steve mentioned multiple times that walkability maps are provided, but they are not online. The THPRD trail maps are not the same as walkability maps. It is not a trivial process to derive walkability from the trail maps and you cannot do it by eye balling it. A walkability map is a map that uses one color to show what all areas you can get to from a school in one mile (or 1.5 miles or whatever number you want to use). It also needs to show the areas that are walking to a school today. For instance in all the split findley maps, you have people that are walking today to Stoller as being bussed. This is still not correct. Please provide both - a walkability map and a map of the latest walking areas for each school.</p>	

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97	12/20/19	YANG CHENG	yanchengchris@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Obviously, the data which ES students would join in Stoller in future 5 years shows the challenge we are facing with: 1. Findly , less that 300, Stable.2. JW, about 300, Stable.3. Sato, exceeding 500+, Increasing4. SPV, exceeding 500+, Stable. It's obviously that we could come to following conclusions: 1.Combine Sato and SPV is a risky combination which would exceed the maximum capacity of Stoller only with these two area , especially when you considering Sato is still a developing area. It's no doubt that only requirement of ES Sato joining Stoller would exceed 600 someday in the future. 2. Splitting Findley does not solve the problem. When you consider there are 40+% student of Findley have a walkable distance to Stoller, it's not reasonable to remove Findley totally out due to the fairness and distance.Also, the number of students from Findley is reasonable and matching the criteria of diversity. 3. Obviously, it's reasonable to let more SPV students to join in Sato but not all. When only accommodating SPV and Sato into one school, that would exceed the maximum capacity of any middle school , it's not fair at all for that would violate the enrollment right of students in other areas such as JW, Findley. So one trade-in is let more SPV students joining in Sato freely. I think that's fair to encourage the disable students in SPV joining in Sato firstly. By the way, ES SPV and Sato are very close to. In conclusion, I suggest that students of Findley JW and Sato would join in Stoller. Also, there are some disable student in SPV should be included in Stoller firstly.
98	12/20/19	Eric Simantel	Eric.Simantel@directorsmortgage.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I obviously can't speak for the entire community, but I think generally parents from across the district feel that there was bias in the created parent themed maps, as on social media both Springville and Findley parents admitted to loading the room with as many parents as they could so that they could be the loudest voice in the room. This is actually a compliment to them, as they were well organized and had a plan 'of attack'.As a result these parent them maps failed the committee and failed the district. If you were for example to have an equal number of parents in the room from each school when these themed maps were created, they would look different. I think everyone would agree to that. Collectively other schools (including I feel my own) in waking up 'late' to the conversation, while schools like Springville and Findley already had sprinted out of the gates. The fear now is that our voices would have been drowned out my more active parent bases from the previous meetings. The fear coming into last nights meeting would be that the loudest, most angry voice would win. That was NOT the case. The committee seems to be steering the thought process towards logic and a better thought out process - and seems to understand to get to the right solution is a marathon and not a 50 yard dash.I was disappointed to hear at the meeting that – at this critical juncture, one of the Stoller Committee members (although, I wish both parents weren't from Stoller, but it is what it is) is going to be out the country for an entire month. I wasn't sure from her comments if she would miss additional meetings? Since I am currently in Stoller boundaries, and I would have qualified for that seat on the committee (had I applied)... (again, we as Rock Creek were asleep at the wheel and I missed the application date by a few days). I think perhaps the Committee Chair or Superintendent should bring in a proxy for her seat? And perhaps a voice from another elementary school so that Findley doesn't have 2 Committee members. I would be happy to be that person, although it definitely does not need to be me.Lastly (and you'll start to see this on the online feedback community board now as well)... Rock Creek Elementary has 2 sister schools on the northside of 26. Springville and Bethany. I would ask for consideration in this process, of if Rock Creek goes to Five Oaks, or whether we continue to go to Stoller that we go in this journey together with one of our sister schools. In community sports or religious activities these 3 schools have a big crossover.
99	12/20/19	Cindy	niniding1117@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Dear BSD,We are pleased to have new news and discoveries every time we attend the meeting. During the Q & A session of the members of the BSD Committee yesterday, I found that Abhijit, a member of Stoller, had very different data and bias in his speech (you can watch the video). We didn't feel he was the representative of Stoller, but the representative of Findley. Problems that should not arise in such an important meeting. Because the members of the BSD committee should treat school divisions fairly and fairly. I suggest to treat the representatives of each school more fairly in the future meetings. He should avoid this meeting. We also hope to hear more from other schools divided by school district. Thank you.
100	12/20/19	Rowan Wepener	rowan.wepener@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		1. It seems to me that the theme maps are flawed as they do not provide a solution to the overcrowding at Stoller and Five Oaks. They also do not address the equity issue which was outlined as one of the main purposes of this exercise. I think that the maps should be redrawn based on numbers and not the emotions of of groups of parents. None of the district middle schools need to be overcrowded after this exercise is complete. 2. We must take the emotional well being of the students into consideration and keep feeder groups together through elementary, middle and high school. 3. Rock Creek should move or stay with one of it's sister schools, either Springville or Bethany during the redistricting process.
101	12/20/19	Hong Yan	lisa.h.yan@gmail.com	Findley Elem				Adding Springville to Five Oaks will help diversify and strengthen Five Oaks school and this will in turn create a stronger Five Oaks school community.
102	12/20/19	Jagan	jmkreddy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear board members,a BIG thank you for all the great work you(most!) are doing and reading through the comments from hundreds of parents and doing good that favors majority overall !!! Since you said, "No question or concern is stupid" I will take that literally, concise and ask you with all due respect. Please, please think twice before you trash this concern.I see most of the board members are very honest and neutral and a BIG THANK YOU!!! Hats off!!!! don't see two board members (Don't want name people due to fairness) hailing from Finely and Jacob wismer that seem to support their community plain OPENLY. My biggest concern is there is no representation of people from Springville or Rockcreek and other areas to level the field. How is this a guaranteed fair process? We have hundreds of parents feel the same and have sleepless nights and some of us feel its a drama we are witnessing the outcome is rigged or will be influenced. Its not too late even right now to remove those. My suggestion - What ever is the outcome, please please remove and put them in other areas where the outcome don't affect them personally. This make us think that the process is fair. My plain analogy is that a judge has to decide the case where his family member is involved. This is a classic example of bias as a human being. Thanks again to the whole BSD committee!
103	12/20/19	Sameer Ruiwale	sameer_ruiwale@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		The middle school committee meeting on Dec 19th 2019 was interesting to say the least. I really appreciate the parents who are committee members taking time out of their busy lives and serving on the committee. However - it seems like the committee needs to review the goals set by the JPC more closely - as some of the proposals being put forth do not meet the district goals.1) Some of the members wanted to minimize disruptions by moving only one school out of Stoller -- while this is a nice to have goal -- this cannot be a consideration. When Timberland's boundary is created - it will by definition off-load a large potion of Cedar Park MS. So the committee must move students from either south or west of CedarPark to balance this. The boundary process is for ALL middle schools - minimizing disruption that results in incomplete or short-term solutions is not the right thing to do. 2) There was a proposal to move Jacob Wismer and Findley entirely out of Stoller to keep Rock-Creek, Springville and Sato in Stoller.. This is an outrageous and irresponsible proposal in many ways. Rock-Creek and Springville are the farthest elementary schools in the Stoller boundary. 90% (if not more) of JW is walkable to Stoller; at least half of Findley is in the Stoller walk zone (and walkability will further increase with the current and upcoming THPRD trails being built around Bronson Creek). It makes ZERO sense to bus entire neighborhoods of walking kids close to Stoller and move them to a school 4.5 miles away -- while still keeping RC, SPV and Sato - all in a non-walkable zone from Stoller and are currently bussed to Stoller anyway. 3) As another committee member rightly pointed out -- SPV + Sato by themselves will outgrow the permanent capacity at Stoller based on 5 year projections by BSD.. Keeping both SPV and Sato in Stoller while moving Findley out does not meet the 90% goal set by the JPC -- it is a shortsighted proposal that only pushes the problem down the road and does nothing to solve Stoller's overcrowding (in most cases it makes it worse).4) A lot of commentary was made about split feeders -- but these cannot outweigh walkability, cost of transportation and proximity. Split feeders may not be desirable -- but they cannot be a determining factor and cannot be as bad a people are making them out to be.5) Diversity comments being raised are nothing but smokescreens. If the correct facts are reviewed - SPV is no more diverse or less affluent than Findley. The committee must follow a simple principle when they finally get to drawing their maps -- "KIDS THAT ARE WALKING TO SCHOOL TODAY SHOULD BE ABLE TO WALK TO SCHOOL TOMORROW" !!!! ThanksSameer
104	12/20/19	Harry	niniding1117@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			We were shocked to hear this statement! !! Abigit suggested sending Aloha Huber from the five oak trees currently in theme 2 (and 3) to Cedar Park ... which would allow them to commute more than 4.6 miles on a busy route. Just to make Findley walk to school! Their kids don't want to ride a bus! It can reduce pollution and a 3 mile commute is bad for kids. What is this fallacy? Have you considered children from other schools? Serious prejudice and selfish conclusions. Is Findley a child! Can children from other regions take a long bus ride? And it's twice theirs. How many children do not have enough food when talking about walking and taking the bus? At the same time, the data he provided was problematic, which could easily mislead the judgment of other members. We strongly demand that school districts be divided fairly and fairly for BSD. He was already a representative of Findley and was not suitable for making inappropriate comments at this meeting. Thank you.

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105	12/20/19	Jamie Williams	jamie.stewart.williams@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem				<p>I was asked to repost my comment from Nextdoor (in response to how Stoller will look if it is left with only Jacob Wismer, Sato and Findley):Findley has a negligible amount of free/reduced lunches (less than 5%), JW has 5%, Sato has 14%, Springville has 16% and Rock Creek has 22%. Findley has 12% ESL, Rock Creek has 15%, JW has 19%, Springville has 20% and Sato has 21%. Findley has 6% students with disabilities, as does JW, Sato has 7%, Rock Creek has 10%, and Springville has 11%. Findley has 12% non-white or Asian, JW has 9%, Rock Creek has 21%, Sato has 20% and Springville has 19%. I don't see an argument for keeping Findley unless JW goes. Otherwise, you are clearly targeting poor people, ESL students, disabled students, and non-white/Asian students. If Stoller is made up of Sato, JW and Findley, you have removed the two poorest schools, the second highest ESL population, the two schools with the most disabled people and the majority of the non-white/Asian populations. You are left with a rich school made up of mostly English-speaking, non-disabled white and Asian folks. Elite, uniform, rich, advantaged. And they get to walk to school while their neighbors are spending even longer in buses, including the prospect of Springville being on a bus to get home for the better part of an hour. And they get to walk to SUMMA for only entitlement-sake only.</p>
106	12/20/19	Sarah Barrett	barrettsarah@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>I have been going back through the data that is provided from last night's meeting, and one question that came up for me is in the projected numbers data. When you add up the total students that feed into Stoller, you don't get the current number. I know that some students are in options schools so that affects the number, but how does SUMMA factor in to the numbers? If there are over 300 SUMMA students at Stoller right now and they are included in the total enrollment right now, can we see some projections (for this years actual) that take SUMMA into consideration? It seemed like many of the committee members think moving SUMMA to Timberland (or another site) is a good idea, and BSD was going to move it several years ago, so it would be helpful to see what enrollment numbers would be without SUMMA at Stoller to know if it gets moved, how many more students would need to be moved out in order to meet the capacity goal.Also, I know that BSD has planners on staff that deal with traffic and transportation, and that they can get information from Washington County when needed. Has anyone done that yet? Also, can they get that information from ODOT and Hillsboro as well? 185th is part of all 3 jurisdictions, and so it seems important to get that information from all 3 if there is a thought to bus people all the way down 185th to Five Oaks.Lastly, please don't disregard other (non Springville and Findley) elementary schools. It seems like it is becoming a Springville vs Findley debate for who stays in Stoller. I think a lot of people look at the maps and see that Rock Creek is fairly close to 26, but if you look at how many students feed in to Rock Creek and where they are coming from, you see that is goes much farther away. Many of us live north of West Union, close to Springville and Sato boundaries and would have just as long a commute as their students.</p>
107	12/20/19	Aditya Kukday	kukday@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			<p>My comments are for the advisory members since it was clear from the meeting yesterday that they are driving the process now. 1. Thank you. Thank you. Thank you. Springville has no representation in the committee. So it was extremely encouraging to hear that even the member of the committee who goes to school right now (In BSD bus I assume) vocalized that sending Springville to Five Oaks will be horrendous. 2. I don't know how many of advisory committee members are aware of BSD cuts last year in middle of the year. If folks recall, this was due to incorrect estimates with number of students. So BSD made a mistake in 2018 for number of kids in schools in 2018!!!. So to make decisions today assuming a 2025 student population is ridiculous beyond reason. What happens if those estimates turn out wrong? Do &t;700 students (Springville &#43; Rockcreek) get bused to a far away school today for an estimate for 2025!!! Climate scientist warn of climate catastrophe in 2050 - does that mean we tell our kids today that they shouldn't plan for a future?? Estimates are important, but cannot be sole deciding factor for decision making as one particular advisory member was claiming3. One particular advisory board member, it was evident to all present yesterday, is displaying clear bias. I would like to pray to the individual to think about all the kids, not just his own kids. He is representing his community, Stoller, which includes Springville, not himself or his school (Findley). ALTRUISM, NOT SELF INTEREST, IS THE QUALIFYING CRITERIA FOR PUBLIC POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY.4. Overarching value has to be equity - simply because some kids should be able to walk to school doesn't mean 700 other kids should be in a bus 2 hours a day. Their academic performance will suffer, there will be safety risks in parents being able to rush to a far away school, the traffic and pollution will be much much worse, and hours on bus will mean more bullying and mental health consequences5. The argument of findley parent during the comment period about buses coming into Stoller and leaving Stoller at the same time is completely wrong. Don't middle schools have same timings? So how will it be that timberland buses will leave at the same time that Stoller buses are arriving??? Also the same argument is applicable to Springville - just few times worse since there is only one way in and out of North Bethany (Brugger), in addition, if the buses don't go through Bethany they will cross Rock Creek elementary, West View High School, Fire Station, Cross HW 26, and then cross crowded 185th and Cornell junctions. If they go through Bethany, then we just made the problem worse per the same parents who are recommending the five oaks solution for North Bethany! It seems incredible that parents are worried about a 2 mile drive in internal roads for themselves and their kids yet are happy to send hundreds of kids into a much worse situation. 6. I still do not understand the incredible and loudly vocal resistance of Findley to keep going to Stoller - there is a brand new \$61 Million school funded through our bond money (every one of us). Why keep it empty, and then also bus hundreds of students, all because Findley wants to go to Stoller?? For split schools, isn't stoller split right now? So for Findley parents, some splits are ok but some are not? 8. We need a fair solution. I live right next to urban growth boundary in the North. Don't make my kids suffer because some parents DON'T want to go to a BRAND NEW SCHOOL next to their home!!!</p>
108	12/20/19	G Kuber	gayatrikuber@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>All growth in the NW Portland area is happening north of Bethany. As such, if Springville were to move to Stoller Middle, it will solve the problem only temporarily. Stoller will be overcrowded over again in the next 2 years. It only makes sense to find a viable alternative for the new development in the area to accommodate their growth. Stoller is a natural transition for Findley Elementary. It is less than 2 miles for the entire school community. Uprooting the school out of Stoller is devastating for our kids.</p>
109	12/20/19	Karen	john.karen.roberts@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>There are 3 main arguments that I see popping up over and over again:Diverting BussesWalkabilityFeedersI would like to address each of these issues because there appear to be some who are overlooking certain aspects related to these arguments.Diverting Busses - Some have argued that because Springville students are already on a bus to Stoller they should just be diverted 2 miles farther to another location. This argument fails to acknowledge that the majority of Findley students are currently bussed to Stoller. These Findley students who are already on a bus to Stoller can just be diverted even more easily than Springville students can be diverted to any other middle school. The majority of Springville's population is located in the upper most corner north of Springville and Stoller. The majority of Findley's population is located southeast of Findley elementary school in the area directly between Findley and Timberland. Diverting Springville students south requires an additional 3+ miles for MOST Springville students. It also requires traveling through the county[?]'s most congested intersection and an exponentially increased amount of time on the bus (I will not beat this point any further, information regarding not just distance but commute time has been presented time and time again). On the other hand, most Findley students who are ALREADY ON A BUS TO STOLLER can be diverted to Timberland WITHOUT INCREASING THEIR DISTANCE OR COMMUTE TIME. For the FEW students who do face an increased commute, that increase is LESS THAN THE INCREASED COMMUTE for the MAJORITY of Springville students being bussed anywhere other than Stoller. If we want to discuss diverting busses, let us not forget the large population of Findley students who are already being bussed and their ability to be diverted with far less disruption to the amount of time they will be on the bus.</p>
110	12/20/19	Karen	john.karen.roberts@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		<p>Walkability - While I feel for communities that are within walking distance to their current middle school and understand their desire to be able to maintain that luxury, I would ask that we remember that waking to school is a privilege. It is an opportunity afforded to a very small and select group of individuals based solely on geographical location and the decisions of the district when building. This privilege is not afforded to MOST students within the district by absolutely no fault of their own. There has been a lot of discussion regarding protecting the privilege and luxury of walking to school at the expense of other students who are already not afforded this same walkability privilege. What are we protecting for these walking students? Their ability to get exercise? Their short commute? Their ability to sleep in in the morning? Their ability to be home in time to take part in extracurriculars, or study, or spend time with their family? Their parents ability to not be inconvenienced by bussing or driving their student to school? (These are the arguments we continue to hear in regards to why walkability should be a priority.) Why are we overlooking the need to protect these very same needs for students who don't have the luxury of walking to school. Walkability is wonderful and if it doesn't come at the expense of the majority of other kids, then great! But I don't believe other students should shoulder a disproportionate burden to protect the luxury and privilege of walkability.</p>

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111	12/20/19	Karen	john.karen.roberts@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Feeders - This is something I do think affects a much greater number of students than the issue of walkability and should therefore take greater precedence between the two. As mentioned in multiple testimonials and by certain committee members in the most recent meeting, the transition between elementary and middle school already comes with an inherent understanding that students will be separated. Whether they attend middle school with their elementary peers or not, middle school sees a major shakeup in relationships simply due to the increased volume of people and the natural process of discovering oneself and one's people. This doesn't take into account the very many elementary students who ultimately choose an optional school where their elementary peers will not all follow. In contrast, the move from middle to high school sees a much greater need for continuity. By the end of middle school many students have developed lasting friendships that have seen them through some of the toughest years of self actualization and hormones. These friendships made in middle school will carry them through high school in a way which young elementary children are not yet mature enough to understand. With this in mind, we have a great opportunity to develop a middle to high school feeder pattern that will allow for the greatest continuity for this vulnerable population. By sending Findley students to Timberland we allow them to begin developing these friendships with the peers who will follow with them to Sunset, whereas at Stoller the majority of Findley's peers will separate from them to attend Westview. We also have an opportunity to provide a better feeder pattern for Oak Hills by sending them to Timberland with students who will continue with them to Sunset. At the high school level, we should consider swapping the small population of Oak Hill and Jacob Wismer students who currently feed to a high school different from the majority of their elementary peers. The Oak Hills students currently assigned to Westview can instead attend Sunset with the rest of their elementary peers, as well as with all of their Timberland peers. The Jacob Wismer students currently assigned to Sunset can then in turn feed to Westview along with their elementary peers and all of their Stoller peers.
112	12/20/19	Luke Chang	lchang256@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS		ISB	I was not able to attend the Dec. 19th meeting but reviewed the video recording. There are several points I would like to make:1. One Findley parent made a point about walkability to school as an argument for keeping Findley students to Stoller. That's a problematic argument for several reasons: a.) why should Findley walkability be more important than other schools' kids? For example, I see kids from Springville or Rock Creek neighborhood walk to Stoller on mornings along Laidlaw. b.) Walkability is a subjective argument. When did this become part of the school district's decision criteria? c.) If walkability is an argument then drivability should also be an issue. Findley is 2.2 miles away from Timberland while Springville is 4.5 miles from Five Oaks. Shouldn't Findley parents choose drivability and closer distance over sending Springville kids further away?2. Committee has decided to hold additional community meetings. I think we have heard lots of arguments from community for various options already. When will committee make the criteria used for decision making public? Without the public criteria we will just be stuck rehashing old arguments. Without public criteria and each committee member's stated preference, this process is not transparent and could be subject to many rumors and innuendos later on. Please make the criteria and deliberation process as transparent as possible.Thank you.
113	12/20/19	A	white0709@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Neighborhood proximity and accessibility should be one of the key factors in determining the boundaries. If the kids can walk to school, it doesn't make sense to have them to get on the bus for school.
114	12/20/19	Ken Rogers	krbmw@comcast.net	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Dear Mr. Grotting, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary esp with it being across the street from Stoller. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Sincerely, Ken Rogers
115	12/20/19	Viswakanth	Viswakanth4u@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Sincerely,
116	12/20/19	Dong Xi	dongxidx@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Mr. Grotting, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Sincerely,Dong Xi, MDAttending Physician, GastroenterologyDoernbecher Children's HospitalAssistant Professor of PediatricsOregon Health Science University

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117	12/20/19	Shilpa Sharma	Sharma.shilpa18@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I am surprised to hear that Jacob Wismer can be moved to some other middle school.As our neighborhood and areas are all same nothing changed but the areas where there is a change and lots of houses are building, anyway people are already new there so it[?]s ok for them to change school. We all having an established neighborhood in Jacob Wismer and Stoller area. So moving Jacob Wismer to some other school how can that solve the problem ?as new homes are coming in a different school area.
118	12/20/19	Eric	cccf16915@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		The same problem for these 4 theme maps is the under-capacity in Timberland. The district spent so much time and money in building a new school, but it cannot be used efficiently. Timberland needs more students to utilize its facility. Both theme 2 and 3 are creating another over-crowded school Five Oaks. Are we going to have another middle school boundary adjustment within 5 years? If not, theme 2 and 3 are DEFINITELY NOT working. The transportation cost is one concern for the district and also for those families who have to send their kids to a double distance school. Transportation cost is not only money but also time problem. The traffic in the north Bethany makes this problem even worse. Kids may need 1 hour one-way to school and not have time for extracurricular activities, homework, and rest. Walk-able school is definitely parents first choice but if it put other kids in a worse scenario then we only can say reasonable commute distance for all kids is more adequate.
119	12/20/19	Wenting	luwenting20@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		In the most recent meeting, some committee starts to suggest removing Jacob Wismer out of Stoller boundary to alleviate the tension between springville and findley. Jacob wismer is right next to stoller. Most of Jacob Wismer kids walk/bike to school. Jacob Wismer doesn't have direct access to major road like 185 as springville, nor does it as close to Timberland as Findley. To bus these students, not only it will increase bussing cost, but also put those kids on old, narrow road. Additionally, Jacob Wismer boundary is a very stable community, removing JS doesn't alleviate stoller problem at all. I hope committee do a fair analysis and don't let it becoming "who cries loudest who wins" game.
120	12/20/19	Tzu-Min Ou	tzu-min.ou@intel.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		This is a concerned parent. The middle school boundary change may remove Jacob Wismer Elementary from Stoller Middle School's territory, and I think this would be a complete mistake.1. From the geographic perspective, Jacob Wismer Elementary is merely separated from Stoller by one single road, and thus it should be the last to be removed from Stoller's territory.2. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).3. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.4. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.5. Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.I am hoping the committee can consider the seriousness of the adverse consequences. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. I recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but I respectfully ask that please find another solution that makes more sense. Sincerely,Tzu-Min Ou
121	12/20/19	Hsien-kai Hsiao	hkhsiao@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep JW inside Stoller MS boundary. Removing it doesn't make sense and will just increase expense for the district, create more harzaedous commute issues, and won't solve Stoller overcrowding issue.
122	12/20/19	Pramod	pram125@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			I understand the boundary planning committee primary objective is to reduce Stoller Middle School capacity. However, I am very disappointed to hear during recent meeting(on 12/19) a committee member suggest taking Jacob Wismer out of Stoller Middle school and move it to Timberland Middle school.Stoller Middle school is located within Jacob Wismer Elementary Boundary and I don't understand how a busing the students from this neighborhood around Stoller to a different middle school makes sense. Many of these kids just walk to school and also walk their siblings to adjacent Jacob Wismer elementary school. Is walking distance not a criteria for middle school boundary adjustment? This committee member proposal results in all the Stoller kids be bused or use alternate transportation. Think about additional costs of transportation, kids safety and environmental impact and commute times.Please be rational and be data driven when making such important decisions which could effect hundreds of students.
123	12/20/19	Laura	sagecinnamon@hotmail.com	Bonny Slope Elem				I haven't attended the meetings or sifted through the comments, but see that Stoller is very overcrowded. My understanding is that the Summa program increases the student body at that school with kids who may not otherwise attend that school. Wouldn't moving the Summa program to Timberland alleviate some of the Stoller overcrowding without needing to make odd choices about boundaries to reduce the number of kids at Stoller? I hope moving Summa is being considered if this is true.
124	12/20/19	Tim Ertz	tertz68@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			As you consider the boundary adjustment plans for Stoller Middle school, please do not entertain any plan that involves pulling the Jacob Wisner Elementary school out of the Stoller feeder system (as was rumored to be a suggestion in the last meeting).Jacob Wisner is literally right across the street from Stoller, and Stoller sits squarely in the middle of the Jacob Wismer school boundary. Students attending Jacob Wismer see their future middle school across the street every day as they walk to and from school, they see their older siblings and neighbors attending Stoller, and look forward to "crossing the street" when their elementary years are completed.Even when taking those feel good concerns out of the equation, it is just simple logic that the elementary schools located closest to a middle school should attend that middle school - and it is certainly most efficient in terms of encouraging walking to school, as a preferred means of transportation (i.e. results in fewer buses, less traffic overall, and healthy walking habits for kids). And there is no elementary school area that is closer to Stoller than that of Jacob Wismer!Thank you,Tim Ertz14635 NW Jewell Lane
125	12/20/19	Rohit Soni	rsoni27@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Just want to let you know that the change implemented was unfair and biased. I don't believe the committee resolved the issue but just pushed the issue out further for the future. I bought my home here 3 months ago knowing the school set up and now am impacted as a result. Further, certain committee members pushed for the change based on where they live and is a pure conflict of interest.
126	12/20/19	Mayuko Eriguchi	mayueri55@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Mr. Grotting, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. My 6th grader son goes to Stoller MS, and my 3rd grader son goes to Jacob Wismer. Our house is literally adjacent to Stoller MS, and as are our neighbors my kids walk to school safely everyday. If Jacob Wismer got out of Stoller MS boundary, they have to ride a bus or a car to attend more distant school. I understand that Stoller MS is overcrowded, but please consider the location of elementary schools that feed Stoller MS. Jacob Wismer is just across Stoller MS, and the closest elementary school. The traffic around Stoller MS in the morning and after school is terrible as you know, and it will increase the traffic if kids in the neighborhood start riding bus or cars for commuting school instead of walking or biking.I appreciate consider other solution than pulling out Jacob Wismer from Stoller MS boundary.Sincerely,Mayuko Eriguchi

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127	12/20/19	Varun Juneja	vjuneja1@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus is not a permanent solution.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.I am sure you are aware of all this but I just wanted to voice my opinion.Thanks Varun
128	12/20/19	Sonali Puri	sonali_puri6@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Dear Mr. Grotting, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Thanks so much for your attention to this matter.
129	12/20/19	Meenakshi Dewan	meenakshi_dara@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school needing transportation to and fro from new school leading to more expenses. This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities and eventually, reducing the quality of education. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.
130	12/20/19	Tracy	shixiaosmile@yahoo.con	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			To solve stroller overcrowd issue, Findley, JW and Sato should feed to stoller. The number of JW and Findley are stable and will help to balance the number increase in Sato area. Springville and Sato have to keep separate and feed to different middle school. Any middle school will overcrowd when both springville and Sato feed together.
131	12/20/19	Melissa Tom	melissatom45@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Maintaining a walking community to Stoller should be a top priority. It is environmentally responsible, builds community centered on the school and allows students to develop relationships with friends walking to school together. If BSD wants to encourage and preserve elementary to middle school communities as they transition, then move the elementary boundary to include all communities within walking distance of Stoller to the Jacob Wismer elementary school.
132	12/20/19	Amber Zhang	woshizhangxiaoyan@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I went to the hearing yesterday and I'm confused what are the key considerations to make the decision? Can committee address the question- Do we consider proximity or not? We need to use the same metrics for every school. Stoller is in between JW and Findley. If JW can stay due to proximity, why shouldn't Findley? There were some comments about equity and diversity, which I agree should be considered. But keep in mind JW and Findley communities are so similar then why should Findley move due to diversity and equity but JW can stay? My suggestion is we should list several simple criteria to help decision making. Be consistent on those criteria, and use the same criteria on every school. It is unfair to use proximity on JW and use diversity/equity on Findley.
133	12/20/19	Ryan Owen	rjo100@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Sir, Madam,In consideration of the recent middle-school boundary proposals we were very concerned to hear that Jacob Wismer Elementary was being added into this conversation. Being located adjacent to Stoller Middle and walking distance to most in the area it does not seem prudent to consider separating Jacob Wismer and Stoller. In fact any separation would only add to the chaos ensuring no child is able to walk to school in the district and all children been bussed around to someplace far from home. Whilst not an indent option for all it seems the only option is to separate Springville (Given the large population) and potentially halving Findley leaving the children in the Jacob Wismer area to attend their local school. Yours Respectfully, Ryan Owen
134	12/20/19	Hongzhe li	hongzhe@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Thank you for arranging yesterday's meeting. You can see there were so many parents worried about the kid's education.As a Findley parent, I was disappointed to see the outcomes. We need to have hard data to support our decision not based on eye ball test. There were so many ideas not none based on convincing data. Spv and Sato are two growing communities, keep both in stoller and kick out existing communities have been there for decades just not make sense. And also as long as you keep both of them in stoller, you won't be able to solve stoller capacity problem. Next time in the near future, who will be pushed out?I felt Findley families were treated differently from other schools with different standards. Findley community is small and stable, it's enrollment is shrinking year over year. We'd love to have our kids to go to nearby school with other kids nearby as well. Please keep the standards the same. Findley kids should not be punished because there is no kid lived by food support. Please treat Findley fairly.
135	12/20/19	Abhilash Akula	abakula123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Following are my recommendations. 1)Findley elementary school kids attend Sunset Highschool where as most of the Stoller attends Westview HS so strongly recommend Findley ES to be assigned to Timberland MS so all the kids at Timberland continue their friendships in MS as well as HS. 2)Some of the Jacob Wismer also attends Sunset HS but we are not interested in splitting JW so we recommend JW to attend Stoller MS. 3)There is no other MS for Springville within reasonable distance. FiveOaks is 4.5 miles away from Springville ES, it takes 45 minutes + 45 minutes = 1.5 hour per day for commute. Less time for Home work, Sleep and more stress on Springville parents and kids (4.5 miles is the distance from ES to MS) 4)Please note the above 4.5 miles + 4.5 miles = 9.0 miles both ways, 1.5 hour per day commute is on 185th, crossing US HWY 26. This path intercepts heavy traffic towards Intel and Nike everyday. Most of the employees commute to work during that time, School bus driver will have to focus on driving, leaving zero attention on kids in the bus (leads to bullying and other incidents on the bus, one of my neighbors mentioned this happened to her son). Please read this article : https://safety.loveto-know.com/School_Bus_Bullying5 As one Findley parent mentioned, Findley is NOT 4.0 miles away from Timbeland. It is just 2.5 miles away. Don[?]t measure distance from your home to MS. If we start doing that, some homes in Springville are 5.0+ miles away from FiveOaks. As one of the committee members said, if you draw an imaginary circle with Timbeland at the center and 2.0 miles radius, Findley ES nicely falls into this circle (please try this yourself in google maps). Another aspect is, this 2.5 miles distance is mostly on local roads and does not hit heavy traffic as observed in Springville case. 6)It is unfortunate to see that the 2 committee members representing Stoller MS do not even care about emotions of Springville kids and parents. Their motivation is somehow get their ES into Stoller but do not realize the potential future issues faced by Springville families. As leaders representing Stoller MS, they need to be empathetic to all ES families within Stoller, not just Findley, JW. For the same reason, I recommend BSD superintendent to replace these 2 members with neutral and more balanced members from southern schools. Given that we have no members representing Springville/Sato/Rockcreek, it makes complete sense to replace them to remove biased opinions and subsequent influence. At the same time, we really appreciate every other committee member representing all other Middle schools for their balanced approach to solving this problem. 7)I am surprised to see that one of the Stoller MS committee member asked for private sub-teams. I really appreciate Superintendent for not allowing the same as it surely reduces transparency to public. 8)Our focus should be on how to achieve the goal with least disruption to other schools. One of the Stoller MS committee members wanted to optimize every school from South to North. This leads to increase in scope of the problem at hand, impact to many other schools (including mid and south) and
136	12/20/19	Paul Alappat	paul.alappat@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Jacob Wismer is literally right across the street from Stoller - it makes no logical sense to associate JW to some other middle school. It would be like keeping a dryer in a different room than a washing machine. Geographic location should play a big part in determining which schools feed into other schools. By the logic of whichever committee member made this suggestion, you might as well make Stoller feed into Aloha High School.

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								Dear advisory committee members, it was a pleasure watching you work on the boundary adjustment process, except for one fact which I would like to highlight. Very good assessment of theme maps was done and great follow-up questions were asked for Steven to provide you more data and answers. However, one of the committee members rambled and multiple times and tried to bring attention to theme 2 and theme 3, saying other options are good for nothing. This was in total contradiction with most of the other committee members and their interpretation of the situation. It was later on found that the member is from Findley area and as was suspected earlier, his only focus remained on keeping entire Findley with Stoller. He wasn't about the argue about anything else and perhaps put his own kids in front of the greater good of BSD students. I am really appreciative of the high schooler on the committee as she made more sense than the Findley parent on the committee. She could understand the horror of sending 460+ kids 5-6 miles away from there home and how it can impact there overall well-being. One gentlemen proposed that it there are issues and difficulties, he would rather have it distributed among all the communities, instead of being unfair to some and giving all the ease to one. One gentlemen asked for theme 1 variation which entire Findley moving to Timberland. And some members wanted to work on the south side which seems less contentious at time. Excellent work team, but please be aware of that one member whose sole purpose of being on the committee seemed to be pushing his own personal interest, not the welfare of all BSD students.
137	12/20/19	Priyanka	priyankasep@yahoo.com					
138	12/20/19	Yanbin Luo	Kalbindu@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		I went to the hearing yesterday and I'm confused what are the key considerations to make the decision? Can committee address the question- Do we consider proximity or not? We need to use the same metrics for every school. Stoller is in between JW and Findley. If JW can stay due to proximity, why shouldn't Findley? There were some comments about equity and diversity, which I agree should be considered. But keep in mind JW and Findley communities are so similar then why should Findley move due to diversity and equity but JW can stay? My suggestion is we should list several simple criteria to help decision making. Be consistent on those criteria, and use the same criteria on every school. It is unfair to use proximity on JW and use diversity/equity on Findley.
139	12/20/19	Bruce	bruce0421@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		For the boundary change, it should be based on the same standards for every community. No matter it's proximity, diversity, or equity.
140	12/20/19	Manickam	Manick_basha@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Hi BSD team, I was going over the theme maps on 12/19 meeting and out of 4 map suggested, map 1 and 4 looks reasonable but still needs tweaking.. I would suggest below changes which may help to balance the capacity balanced..On map 4, Step1: the utilization of five oaks Is at 70% - if you move Rock creek to Five Oaks, the utilization of Five Oaks will be greatly improved.Step2: Utilization Capacity of stoller is much higher (130%) - If you move whole of Findley to Timberland and moving Rock creek to Five Oaks will bring down the utilization of Stoller under 100%.Step3: Utilization of newly build Timberland (61%) under Capacity based, after spending lot of tax dollars on it.. if you move Oak hills + whole of Findley will improve the utilization and make sense on \$\$\$ spent on new schoolStep4: utilization of Medow park is over/close to 100 - suggest to move Oak Hills to Timberlands will reduce over all utilization.If above suggestions were incorporated, I hope the utilization of all MS in BSD will be equal. Can you please consider all the above steps and work on the students number and utilization capacity and provide a new theme map..
141	12/20/19	Ragesh Puthenkovilakam	rageshp@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Our housing community shares a common backyard wall with Stoller and kids are able to walk to Stoller in less than 2 minutes. Busing the kids to any other school will be wasting a lot of tax payer dollars, kids/parents valuable time and increasing the district's carbon footprint.
142	12/20/19	Eric Simantel	Eric.Simantel@directorsmortgage.net	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Why are the 2 Stoller representatives on the committee both from Findley Elementary School? Springville, Rock Creek, and Sato don't seem to have a voice on the committee?
143	12/20/19	Gabriel Montero	Gabe.montero@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I feel that Rock Creek will end up being the sacrificial child in this case and I think that is not fair. If Finley moves to Timberland, Timberlands is still a good school and it[?]s not a really bad deal for Finley. The same holds for Springville. If they move to Five Oaks they will move most likely with Rock Creek and Bethany and this also is not a bad deal. I would be happy if I could be rezoned to Timberland or even Five Oaks as long as we move along with Springville and Bethany. I know traffic may be a concern, but at least we would not be moving South alone.I think that if Rock Creek gets rezoned to Five Oaks, Bethany and Springville should be moved with Rock Creek, otherwise Rock Creek will become the sacrificial child in this case and it's not fair to remove an established neighborhood Rock Creek is a very established and one of the oldest neighborhoods in Stoller. I am hoping that one of the lessons learned from BSD will be to put more thought when it comes to finalizing location of future middle schools.
144	12/20/19	Justin Su	justinsutw@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:1. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).2. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.3. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.4.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.
145	12/20/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I think that BSD need to complete analysis with numbers and data and document all for public to be able to review and comment and then public can comment on that. It is a mute point to comment on random boundaries that have no basis and are built by random community members that are impacted by everyone[?]s personal interest
146	12/20/19	YY	yyinny@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Findley deserves EQUALITY just like all the other Stoller feeder schools!
147	12/20/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I think that we should reconsider Springville staying K8 or make it a middle school at least till a new middle school is built to address Stoller capacity.
148	12/20/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I am hoping that BSD looks at all this to where some schools are not becoming the sacrificial children. If Rock Creek were to be rezoned to Five Oaks all alone without Springville and Bethany or Bethany and Oak Hills then Rock Creek would definitely be burdened significantly due to traffic and moving to a much lower rating school whereas in this case all other moves for the other schools would have minimal impact and would all be good options
149	12/20/19	Yang yong	Yang.yong1026@gmail.com	Findley Elem				Option 2 is better. One elementary school feed to same Middle school. Or division will happen between students in elementary school, and will impact kids health mind.

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150	12/20/19	Roberta	Robertasusan@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				I heard on dec 19 meeting1. Remove Findley and summa from Stoller and move to timberland. All this to accommodate springville. Question to committee Do you think a tagged child from springville will attend timberland summa or Stoller Home school (due to proximity)? If the answer is timberland then is it not farther to them than five oaks? How does the proximity argument apply now?As a Jacob Wismer parent I am concerned about removing Findley and summa from Stoller. First, you are displacing summa kids from Jacob Wismer and having them get on a bus to go timberland is worse than our current arrangement. Second, our kids will not have any friends at sunset. We fall in a small pocket of area that is behind Jacob Wismer and we go to sunset. Other half of Jacob Wismer goes to west view. When we get put together into Stoller with Sato and springville and in the future Sato/springville goes to west view then we won[?]t have established friendships or social structure for the kids to depend on. This is not ok by Jacob Wismer kids! Please be fair to all kids. How is is our friendships any less than any other child in bsd? How does distance argument apply to springville To five oaks But not springville to timberland?Please don[?]t mention it[?]s an option school and not necessarily we need to solve this inequity. We know what a springville will parent do if the child goes to summa!Could springville kids who is tagged go to meadow park summa in This case? Might help your numbers problem too.
151	12/20/19	Yang yong	Yang.yong1026@gmail.com	Findley Elem				Keep Springville K6-8 to meet Springville and Rock Creek guys
152	12/21/19	Sharon	Li.xlian@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			The suggestion of taking Jacob Wismer out of Stoller is a bad idea. I like the walking distance to Stoller and don[?]t want two kids be in different middle school.
153	12/21/19	Sanjib Saha	sanjibsaha@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.
154	12/21/19	Tarek Massoud	tarek.massoud@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		It is not clear to me what the criteria for the adjustment is, up to this point we are going over maps created by people with different interests without enough data to back it up. It seems all maps created are flawed and none of them solves the problem. When the decision was made to put Timberland where it is, BSD had data to back that, how is our current data looking compared to that original projection? What was the plan to fill its capacity? We should not be do erecting schools randomly and try to fill it based on parents' suggestions!I think the pillars that we need to be working on are:If we have a Stoller capacity problem and build a new school to fix that, we should move students from Stoller to that new school. If we have to shuffle everybody to not disturb one community, that seems very selfish and inconsiderate. I am stunned that none of the maps shown proposes moving Findley the community with the closest proximity to Timberland to that school.My two cents, we need more transparency on the process and data driven options otherwise it seem like cock fight and the group with the loudest voice would win, which I do not think is the right way to make decisions on our kids education.
155	12/21/19	SEJAL SHAH	shahsejal3@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	My kids goes to Jacob wismer and our neighborhood middle school is stoller middle school. Please do not change jacob wismer middle school. Stoller middle school is our neighborhood school.
156	12/21/19	Joy Ogg	Jasonjoy@comcast.net	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Hello, we leave in the Bethany area and walking distance to Jacob Wismer and stroller -.5 miles to be exact. Why would the school district think about moving our neighborhood boundary to 185th 4 miles away? They would have the expense of busing the kids verse kids walking to their neighborhood school. This would be an economical mistake and also a community mistake for the kids. Please take this to consideration for the boundary change.
157	12/21/19	Steven Netter	steven.netter@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				I'm writing to implore you to remove Jacob Wismer from the Stoller Middle School boundary discussion. But before I get into the reasons why moving Jacob Wismer doesn't make sense, I'd like to make a point about this process being detrimental to our community.From what I've seen the last few weeks, this process is pitting neighbor against neighbor in a negative way. It's turning into a fight were people from one elementary school are now resorting to attacking other schools in an effort to further their own agenda. It's terrible to watch and a direct result of the school districts inability to foster a positive environment for problem solving. I understand this is a tricky and emotional problem to solve. But I'd like to see more leadership from all involved, working together to find a reasonable solution without resorting to having neighborhoods throw other neighborhoods under the bus to get what they want. We need to set a better example for the kids and the community.Which leads me to my point about removing Jacob Wismer from the discussion. On December 16 I received an email with 4 proposed middle school boundary adjustments. When I reviewed them, all 4 had Jacob Wismer still feeding into Stoller. However, after the Dec 19th meeting, all of a sudden Jacob Wismer is now in the conversation for moving to Timberland? How did this happen? It makes no sense for several reasons:1. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).2. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.3. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.4. Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.My plea is to find a better way to resolve this unfortunate situation. Find a way to stop pitting parents against each other in this process. And remove Jacob Wismer from the discussion as it logically needs to feed into Stoller. Thank You for your time and consideration.Steven NetterParent of a Jacob Wismer 3rd grader
158	12/21/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		BSD needs to hire an independent consultant to make the evaluation and ideally this group is from another state. I don't think it is fair to have the committee members coming from schools impacted to make such a big decision that impacts life's and plans of many.Based on December meeting it was very clear that there were many committee members supporting Springville and Finley. There was one mention of Rock Creek, but there doesn't seem to be anyone in there that has any interest on Rock Creek and my concern is that Rock will just be used to fill whatever random objective that is determined by a random group of people that don[?]t know or have any vested interest in Rock Creek but have personal vested interest In addition we have to remember that Rock Creek is one of the most disadvantaged community that goes to Stoller and of course will be the least represented in every way starting with the committee members and even participation.There were three committee members based on December 19 meeting that were pushing strongly for Springville agenda and several for Finley. There was a mention of Rock Creek, but not really any passionate voices in there about Rock Creek.
159	12/21/19	Lisa Cvejn	Lisacvejn@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	Early College	Both my children currently live within walking distance of Stoller. The also have many friends that the have been separated from that they were looking forward to reuniting with at Stoller.
160	12/21/19	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Hi Radha.... can you read this and let me know if it is ok to post this as a comment ?First of all I would like to Thank all Advisory Committee members who asked for the right maps and looked out for the interest of all kids inspite of pressure from Stoller Committee members. The Stoller Committee members sadly just came across as Representing Findley only. It was also mentioned in the meeting that The Findley committee member sent an email to the others in the committee, not sure where Transparency stands in this case. I would like to also thank Steve for not allowing small group discussions where the public could not hear. Thank you for your commitment to transparency . After last meeting, even though I was horrified that the Stoller Committee members totally came across as having just one agenda of keeping Findley at Stoller , I was really encouraged that the other committee members were standing up to do the right thing for all kids. I request everybody to look out for kids who have no direct representation in the Advisory Committee .

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161	12/21/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		I am still in a shock and have been for awhile that BSD built a brand new middle school with intent to relieve capacity in Stoller, but yet this middle school can't reasonably take any of the Stoller students and this has put us in a mess. At the same time we announced that Springville middle school will be closed.I think that the issue should be addressed by either removing SUMA, Finley and Jacob Wismer as needed and keep everybody else at Stoller or keep Jacob Wismer and Finley at Stoller and rezone Springville, Bethany and Rock Creek all to Five Oaks together. This way nobody is disproportionately impacted academically. These are not ideal solutions when it comes to balancing commute time and diversity, but balances things at least academically.
162	12/21/19	Preeju Philip	preejususan@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			First of all I would like to Thank all Advisory Committee members who asked for the right maps and looked out for the interest of all kids inspite of pressure from Stoller Committee members. The Stoller Committee members sadly just came across as Representing Findley only. It was also mentioned in the meeting that The Findley committee member sent an email to the others in the committee, not sure where Transparency stands in this case. I would like to also thank Steve for not allowing small group discussions where the public could not hear. Thank you for your commitment to transparency . After last meeting, even though I was horrified that the Stoller Committee members totally came across as having just one agenda of keeping Findley at Stoller , I was really encouraged that the other committee members were standing up to do the right thing for all kids. I request everybody to look out for kids who have no direct representation in the Advisory Committee .
163	12/21/19	Madhu R	mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Multiple committee members mentioned in the Dec 19th meeting that they do not see a path to keep both Springville and Findley in Stoller. Under those circumstances, what kind of fairness exists in this process where there is an advisory committee member only from Findley? Unless that member is recused or a Springville member is added, this process is ripe for litigation.
164	12/21/19	Wei Wei	weiwei40@hotmail.com					Due to conflict of interest, committee member who lives in Findley area and Springville should be excluded given the situation presented in Dec 19th meeting. This is to ensure fairness, and to ensure the right thing is done across BSD level. thank you.
165	12/21/19	Devdatta Kulkarni	kdevdatta@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Hi BSD superintendent::Based on December 19th BSD meeting, it is quite evident that major debate is whether Findley or Springville stays in stoller MS. One of these two ES kids is going to get mostly affected. In such situation, I am requesting BSD to add a committee member from Springville ES or remove any comittee member from Findley ES effective immediately. Otherwise debate within committee members will be onesided and unfair. When deciding jurors for any court case for unbiased verdict, they make sure that there is no conflict of interest / biased opinion with case. Why that USA constitution process is not applicable in this public decision? Committee member from Findley ES area has already demonstrated strong bias towards Findley remaining in Stoller. Hence my request for unbiased decision is to add a committee member from Springville as an exception of the rules. Then committee decision will be followed as general consensus. Thanks to several other members who were fair in this process. Hope BSD makes fair And right/correct decision in this case. Thank you.
166	12/21/19	Madhu R	mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	I would like to thank a majority of committee members for staying focused on the primary problem statements on Dec 19th : Filling Timberland, reducing Stoller. I saw too much of the discussion from some quarters being focused on Stoller and that is not the only objective. I hope there will be a little more balance in the next meeting with regards to filling Timberland and avoiding ripple effects throughout BSD.
167	12/21/19	Shawli	Shawli22@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Appreciate the committees data driven discussions. Also the discussion about moving Summa to Timberland made sense. This will make more room for other students who are not opting for optional program.
168	12/21/19	Shawli	Shawli22@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Our kids do not have any control over the location where schools are/will be built. We have to make sure that all students are treated equally. All Students should be kept in the center of all this discussion about school boundary.Do you think it is fair to send some kids on a ten mile commute each day while others walk to school? Why are Springville kids penalized to commute 10 miles everyday? I liked the logical argument made by the committee members. Should we focus on giving average commute time to every kid? Or should we focus on punishing some kids while rewarding the others.
169	12/21/19	Sanjoy	Sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Currently all four of the theme maps have a portion of Findley included. After listening to the last meeting, I would also like to see a map with all of Findley and Summa being fed to Timberland and the associated data with it. Also is there any particular reason, why we are looking at 2025 data instead of 2021.
170	12/21/19	Tracy Shaw	seneca932@gmail.com			Westview	ISB	I live on STOLLER Drive in the STOLLER FARMS Subdivision. We are approximately 1.5 miles from Stoller M.S. and are zoned for Rock Creek E.S. Do our students take a bus to Stoller? Yes. However, we are also close enough to be able to walk or bike to Stoller M.S., should the need arise in the event of an emergency. The snowstorm of school year 2016/2017 greatly impacted transportation, due to the fact that the district released students late. Our students were STRANDED at our schools. I was not able to drive on the treacherous roadways to pick up my child from Rock Creek E.S. nor my child from Stoller M.S., so what did I do? I WALKED, of course! I walked along the sidewalks and THPRD trail to pick up my Rock Creek student and brought him home. Then, I walked along Laidlaw to pick up my student and his friend from Stoller MS, who were anxiously awaiting to be picked up after sitting in the hallway for HOURS. In this case, walking was a SAFER solution for me. If I could not have done this, my students would have been waiting MUCH longer for the buses to get them. Unfortunately, many students did not leave Stoller MS until very late that night! If we are zoned for Five Oaks MS, you will take away this VERY critical option. Please consider emergency situations such as the one noted above, because walking across 26 is NOT viable for any of us who live north of it. It simply is not safe! Although, we are being bused to Stoller MS already, that doesn't mean it is okay to bus us even further away along a dangerous route across Hwy. 26, and have even longer commute times, as would be the case, if you sent us to Five Oaks. Please consider sending other schools out of Stoller who would have a short bus route to Timberland vs. sending those of us out of Stoller who would have a LESS SAFE and LONGER bus route to Five Oaks!!! Please keep Rock Creek NORTH of Hwy 26. Consider the NEIGHBORHOODS that FEED into Rock Creek - many of us are NORTH of WEST UNION. PLEASE!!!!
171	12/21/19	Cara Coates	caracoates@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		On Thursday, I was shocked to see a recommendation from one of the committee members to move Jacob Wismer and Findley out of Stoller. The two schools that can look out their front or back door and see Stoller. He said he hates to see kids ride a bus pass a school to get their school. Apparently exponential growth in North Bethany and screaming and bullying parents are more important than the community built around the school. It is very disturbing that the proceedings are ugly and pitting neighborhoods against either other. I understand that the county has allowed builders continued to build houses and leave you with a huge problem of where to put all these kids. All of these parents are fighting over the building. Stoller isn[?]t a building to the Jacob Wismer community. Stoller is part of our community. JW kids from young age start having Stoller buddies. Students take field trips over to Stoller to see buddies and get acquainted with the school. In spring, students see Stoller students running on our track. We are connected to Stoller. If you take out the emotional part out of the problem, the suggestion is impractical. One main theme of the Springville parents is that the bus ride is too long. The distance from Jacob Wismer to the new middle is the same distance (4mi). Apparently is okay for Jacob Wismer kids have the same 4 mi bus ride over old narrow and busy Saltzman because our community is not causing disruptions at your meeting. https://www.change.org/p/please-help-fix-saltzman-road-before-there-s-an-accident So now you have to bus the hundreds of Jacob Wismer and Findley kids who walk to school along with the North Bethany kids that you are already busing. Jacob Wismer has not any representation because parents thought we were safe, but I guess we are not. I am going to ask that you not entertain the suggestion of moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller.
172	12/21/19	Ellen	xf8129@gmail.com	Findley Elem				It is illogical and unethical to split Findley elementary school with Stoller Middle school.

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173	12/21/19	Aditi Gadre	gadre.aditi.k@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Hi, I am Rock Creek parent. Why is Rock Creek getting kicked out of Stoller? Rock Creek is one of the major feeder school that provides ethnicity diversity, and economic diversity. Per data, Rock Creek is most diversity school in oregon - rated at top 20%. Removing Rock Creek from Stoller will make Stoller polarized. In this modern era, kids need to understand the diverse culture, and need to learn to respect the differences. I urge BSD to help set building blocks of students to help become responsible adult, understanding importance of diversity and inclusion.
174	12/21/19	Di Tian	dtian_2003@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Say No to move Jacob Wismer out of stoller. I heard one committee member suggests to take Jacob Wismer out of Stoller in the recent middle school boundary adjustment meeting. i really do not understand what is the point of this suggestion. Jacob Wismer is the elementary school which is the closest to stoller compared with all the other elementary schools. it does not make sense to send the Jacob Wismer students to a far away middle school instead of walking distance Stoller middle school.As parent of Jacob Wismer parent. i really hope the school district can do more reasonable boundary adjustment plan based on distance, school bus cost, siblings, future high school, and safety for long term overcrowding solution, other than based on which elementary school parents are crying more loudly. Thank you
175	12/21/19	Jie	Michellejiexu@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		My son is expecting to go to Stoller just like his sister. He will be really upset if he has to go to a different school.
176	12/21/19	May	mrwang.npu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Due to conflict of interest, please exclude the committees who lives in Findley and Springville. From the video of the meeting on 19 December, the committee Abhijit was obviously biased. He represented only for Findley, not for the whole Stoller community area. Please exclude Abhijit from the committee board. Thank you!
177	12/21/19	Gabriel Montero	gabe.montero@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		From a distance standpoint it makes sense that Rock Creek north of West Union should stay at Stoller. This area is closer to Stoller than some parts of Springville and even Sato.
178	12/21/19	Arta Montero	arta.pecaj@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		From a distance standpoint it makes sense that Rock Creek north of West Union should move in the same direction as Springville. I think Rock Creek and Springville should move on the same direction together, but if Rock Creek and Springville do not end up in the same middle school then Rock Creek north of West Union should move in same direction as Springville. This would make sense from a boundary standpoint
179	12/21/19	Peter	pzhang.npu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		If Stoller is made up of Sato, JW and Findley, you have removed the two poorest schools, the second highest ESL population, and the majority of the non-white/Asian populations. You are left with a rich school made up of mostly English-speaking, non-disabled white and Asian folks. Elite, uniform, rich, advantaged. And they get to walk to school while their neighbors are spending even longer in buses. And they get to walk to SUMMA for only entitlement-sake. Does BSD wanna change Stoller into an Elite School by removing out Springville and a Rock Creek? Please bring Findley and Summa to the new Timberline ms. Don't waste the exist resources and don't waste taxpayer money. Thank you!
180	12/22/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Findley is literally closer to Five Oaks than Springville. You can verify that on Google maps. The theme maps with Springville in Five Oaks make no sense at all. If Five Oaks is in play, we should first move Findley there first.
181	12/22/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Both Jacob Wismer and Findley are literally closer to Five Oaks than Springville. You can verify that on Google maps. The theme maps with Springville in Five Oaks make no sense at all. If Five Oaks is in play, which it shouldn't be, given the objectives, moving Jacob Wismer and Findley there makes more sense!!
182	12/22/19	Sandeep Kumar	sandysrivastava@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		This is regarding the comments raised by Advisory Committee Members on December 19th Meeting.1. Split Feeder Pattern: Many comments made saying we must not Split more schools, but they were not clear if they are talking of Elementary to Middle or Middle to High? E.g. there was argument by Stoller Representative in the Committee that since Theme 1 and 4 Maps Split Findley, it must be rejected. But the Member conveniently misrepresented the fact that Findley after Middle School goes to Sunset when other communities at Stoller goes to Westview. As it was suggested by few other Committee Members and parents in Public Testimony that they will prefer Split after Elementary School at Middle School than High School.I will request BSD Representative who is hosting the meeting to correct or ask to put clarification when such ambiguous comments are made by Committee Members as it hides few aspects and misrepresent the fact which other Committee Members may not be aware of at that time and hence it can lead to a wrong decision.
183	12/22/19	Peter	pzhang.npu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		For fairness, please add committees from Springville or exclude committees from Findley. The committee Abhijit Was obviously biased on the meeting 19th December. Please exclude Abhijit from committees. Thank you!
184	12/22/19	May	mrwang.npu@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Parents from Findley always talk about walkability, you know walkability is a privilege. At this time this privilege is based on sacrificing lots of other community children and wasting existing resources (Timberline MS in low capacity). Do you still want this privilege? Thank you!
185	12/22/19	Xiruo	sisxiok@gmail.com	Findley Elem				Things are getting very ugly now. It is obvious that some people want to kick Findley out of Stoller so that their elementary school can feed into Stoller. So they have proposed various criteria to achieve the purpose. Those criteria (e.g., diversity, equality, not to consider walkability) are not consistently applied to all elementary schools, but only to Findley to serve the purpose of moving Findley out of Stoller. In the similar proximity and situation, Jacob Wiser is lucky to escape and does not get the same criteria applied. It is unfair to Findley. We need to set a set of consistent unbiased criteria for all elementary schools.
186	12/22/19	Bina M	prati_bha@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	In the Dec 19th meeting, the Jacob Wismer committee member made an excellent point about the total population of middle schoolers in the north exceeding the capabilities of the schools north of 26. That is why many communities from the north already go to Meadow Park and Cedar Park. If we need to increase that, I would suggest that we start looking at schools that are closer to the south to feed those middle schools. Jacob Wismer and Findley are literally closer to multiple south of 26 schools than Springville.
187	12/22/19	Yamini Nimmagadda	yamini.nimmagadda@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		In the last meeting (Dec 19th meeting), I believe we had roughly about 300 people attending in person and several others watching the live stream. Including travel and parking, people spent about 4 hours during the meeting (so >1200 people hours in total). We expected the committee to come with changes to themes 1-4 (with supporting data), discuss and narrow down few options, and refine them further in the upcoming meetings. However, we did not see this happening in the last meeting. Most of the committHi BSD team, I was going over the theme maps on 12/19 meeting and out of 4 map suggested, map 1 and 4 looks reasonable but still needs tweaking.. I would suggest below changes which may help to balance the capacity balanced..On map 4, Step1: the utilization of five oaks Is at 70% - if you move Rock creek to Five Oaks, the utilization of Five Oaks will be greatly improved.Step2: Utilization Capacity of stoller is much higher (130%) - If you move whole of Findley to Timberland and moving Rock creek to Five Oaks will bring down the utilization of Stoller under 100%.Step3: Utilization of newly build Timberland (61%) under Capacity based, after spending lot of tax dollars on it.. if you move Oak hills + whole of Findley will improve the utilization and make sense on \$\$\$ spent on new schoolStep4: utilization of Medow park is over/close to 100 - suggest to move Oak Hills to Timberlands will reduce over all utilization.If above suggestions were incorporated, I hope the utilization of all MS in BSD will be equal. Can you please consider all the above steps and work on the students number and utilization capacity and provide a new theme map..ee members were less prepared than most of the public. It seemed that they did not even look at the data that was provided and were suggesting some options without providing any supporting information or data. We felt that there was no outcome to the meeting. It was very disappointing to see that we are almost half-way through the process and still talking in air without any actionable data-driven proposals.To make the process better, I have the following suggestions: 1) Committee should have some internal white boarding sessions to narrow down few proposals based on the data and pros/cons of each proposal 2) Goals and ground rules should be reiterated in the beginning of every meeting 3) The suggestions from committee members should be based on data rather than speculationsWe appreciate if you could improve the process to make the best use of everyone's time.

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188	12/22/19	Vinod Kulkarni	vkpkulkarni@gmail.com		Stoller MS			<p>The Stoller Committee rep (Divya) made a couple of observations in the meeting (Dec 19th, 1:07:24) - 1) Total ES Feeder (North of 26) = 3475 (it should be 3335 with 2019 numbers)2) Total Permanent Capacity (Stoller + Timberland) = 2180Fact Check # 1Why leave out Meadow Park and Cedar Park Permanent capacity numbers when you deliberately include enrollments from their ES feeder schools ? By what stretch of imagination are Meadow Park and Cedar Park southern schools ?Lets recalculate with Meadow Park, Cedar Park capacities:1) Total MS Permanent Capacity (Stoller, Timberland, Meadow Park, Cedar Park) = 39082) Total Permanent Capacity Surplus = 4333) Surplus @ 90% Permanent Capacity = 42Summary:There is sufficient Permanent capacity in these 4 Middle Schools to solve Timberland Feeder schools + Reducing Stoller over crowding !!</p>
189	12/22/19	Chieko Yoshihara	pdxsalecy@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			<p>It is very understandable to think only about your neighborhood. However, all children in BSD needs to be served equally and equitably, regardless of parents' convenience, emotion and financial status on top of regular stuff, like race, religion, etc. All children should have reasonable amount of commute time to have the same amount of before and after school time. If a child spends 1.5 hours commuting to school every day (from Springville area to Five Oaks), there is 1 hour deficit every day compared to a child who spends 0.5 hour. This totals 525 hours in 3 years. This is a huge disadvantage and it should not be tolerated. I also heard from my older daughter who rides a bus from Springville area to Stoller that since there are so many kids in the bus, three kids sit on one seat/bench (I am wondering if it is supposed to accommodate only two kids first of all because of the place of buckles). They each carry a big back pack with heavy Chromebook in it and a lunch box. I can easily imagine that it is very uncomfortable to sit in a bus like that for 30-45 minutes each way. Transportation is a basic needs which all children should have equally.</p>
190	12/22/19	Vinod Kulkarni	vkpkulkarni@gmail.com		Stoller MS			<p>The Advisory Committee Rep for Stoller (Dec 19th 1:07:24 onward) made the following observation:1) No Split Feeding2) Start redrawing from the south and move north to free up space in Five Oaks or Meadow Park or Cedar Park to solve the boundary objectives.Fact Check # 1Since when is Split feeder or No split feeding an objective of this advisory committee ? It can be an outcome but it is not a stated objective. I urge the committee to focus on the objectives and to not get distracted with this sort of deliberate misdirection.Fact Check # 2The Stoller Rep would like the committee to start redrawing from the South. Why ? There is surplus permanent capacity in Stoller, Timberland, Meadow Park and Cedar Park to solve both the stated objectives. There is absolutely no need to start redrawing from the south.FYI - Total MS Enrollment (North of 26) = 3475 (according to her calculations)Total Permanent Capacity (Stoller, Timberland, Meadow Park, Cedar Park) = 3908Total Capacity with Portables (Stoller, Timberland, Meadow Park, Cedar Park) = 4412 Fact Check # 3Findley parents have openly pushed for Themes 2 & 3 and No Split Feeding, but to satisfy this will require a cascade of redrawing boundaries for Five Oaks and south BSD MS. It has become quite obvious from the Dec 19th meeting that both Stoller Reps in the advisory committee are parroting the Findley narrative. As Mr. Sparks stated in the beginning of the meeting, please remember Stoller Advisory Committee reps, you are representing all of BSD not just Findley !</p>
191	12/22/19	Vinod Kulkarni	vkpkulkarni@gmail.com		Stoller MS			<p>From the Dec 19th meeting (around 1:03:43), the Advisory committee rep for Stoller made the following observations:1) Walking zones (need to respect that while making adjustments)2) Split Feeders (unknown impact on students)Fact Check # 1Walkability is a privilege not a right ! Why should this be a criteria ?BSD makes decisions on MS locations based on several factors include land acquisition. Communities don't get to determine location. While the committee should give it due consideration it cannot be a criteria because it overtly discriminates against communities that are unlucky to not be in the walking zone of MS.Fact Check # 2Split Feeders ? Since when is this a stated objective ?I would urge the committee members to focus on Timberland and Stoller objectives. If split feeding or no split feeding is an outcome so be it. This is deliberate misdirection and waste of the committee's precious time.Its very disappointing to hear both the Advisory Committee Rep's parroting the Findley narrative (Theme 2,3, No Split Feeding, Walkability). Growth is not the problem, a fixed mindset certainly is :- (</p>
192	12/22/19	Vinod Kulkarni	vkpkulkarni@gmail.com		Stoller MS			<p>In the Dec 19th meeting (37:13 onward) the Advisory Committee Rep from Stoller (Abhijit) made the following observations -1) BSD would like students to use Permanent structures.2) BSD has furnished 2019 & 2025 dataa) Enrollments with Summa (2019) = 1557b) Enrollments without Summa (2019) = 1256c) Enrollments with Summa (2025) = 1558d) Enrollments without Summa (2025) = 1233He went on to quickly dismiss Themes 1 & 4 on the pretext that there is more enrollment feeding in than Permanent capacity. Is that right ? Lets take a closer look at the numbers:Fact Check # 11) Looking at 3,4,5 grade enrollments (BSD data):a) ES feeding to Stoller = 389 (JW) + 320 (Sato) + 359 (SV) + 374 (Fin) + 282 (RC) = 1724 (includes Summa)b) Resident On-site % = 86% (historical avg) c) Stoller Enrollments = 1724 * 86% = 1483. BSD projection = 1557 (delta = 74)Observations from other committee members was to relocate Findley & Summa Options program. Lets recalculate the numbers (Assuming resident on-site = 86 %, Findley is 55/45 split (could also be 70/30), avoiding double counting Summa enrollments)2) With Findley (all) & Summa relocated Stoller Enrollments = 1161 - 334 = 827 = 77% Permanent Capacity3) With Findley (bused) & Summa relocated, Stoller Enrollments = 1273 - 334 = 939 = 87% Permanent Capacity As above, there is sufficient capacity in Themes 1 & 4 for Stoller with minor modifications (relocating Summa) and this should be adequate to accommodate growth from Sato area.Lets look at a sample minor adjustment of Stoller, Timberland, Meadow Park and Cedar Park:e.g. (PC = Permanent Capacity)1) Timberland = Bonny Slope, Cedar Mill, Terra Linda, Stoller Summa = 89% PC utilization2) Meadow Park = Barnes (sunset feeding), Bethany ES, Oak hills, Findley, Summa (MP+CP+50) = 82% PC utilization3) Stoller = Rock Creek, JW, Springville, Sato, Findley (Bronson creek/walk), No Summa = 87% PC utilization4) Cedar Park = Raleigh Park, Ridgewood,West TV,William Walker,Barnes (Beaverton HS feeding) = 86% PC utilization5) Five Oaks or any other MS in the south don't even need to be disrupted to meet objectives !Fact Check # 2Themes 2 & 3 are optimum with minor adjustments ? Not so fast !Themes 2 & 3 lead to overcrowding in Five Oaks and under utilization in Cedar Park. This means committee has to go about disrupting a lot of boundaries just to balance utilization across all BSD MS. As above there are other options provided the committee focuses on these 4 MS. The more time is spent entertaining Themes 2 & 3, the more time is wasted working out needless adjustments to all of BSD ! All the themes are utterly disruptive and there are simpler options but if the committee has to pick a theme to start the adjustment process, it should be Theme 1.</p>
193	12/22/19	Kristen Ballou	kjballou@comcast.net	Findley Elem				<p>During the Dec. 19th meeting, a committee member asked if given a choice, would Findley families prefer to be split and maintain walkability, or not be split with all of Findley bussed to Timberland. If choosing between those two options, PLEASE DO NOT SPLIT FINDLEY. I live within the area that is walkable to Stoller. It is much more important for the kids to maintain friendships and not be split from the relationships they've built for 6 years. Yes, walking is convenient, but if I had to choose from these two options, I would choose to bus to Timberland. Thank you.</p>
194	12/22/19	Kristen Ballou	kjballou@comcast.net	Findley Elem				<p>I would like to thank the committee members who during the Dec. 19th meeting asked to have the high school boundaries shown on the maps and showed interested in better aligning middle school to high school feeding patterns. I would love to see kids keep their elementary friends (not splitting elementary schools) and make new friends in middle school, all continuing into high school together (not splitting middle schools). Transitions to new schools are a difficult time, but if they can make those transitions with friends, it makes those transitions easier and more successful. Thank you.</p>
195	12/22/19	Amber Zhang	woshizhangxiaoyan@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>I remember the first time I heard BSD may consider moving Findley to Timberland, I was shocked because it takes only 5 min walk from my home to Stoller. Today when some friends outside of BSD came to my house and discussed about this, they were shocked too. They said, "No way to move Findley! If you live so close to a school, you shouldn't expect any boundaries change affecting you." I bet till now a lot Findley parents are not realizing Findley may be moving out from Stoller, not because they don't care, but because it's hard for them to imagine the possibility.This goes back to the proximity guidance. If you show any person who is outside of BSD the map, by very large chance the person would say JW and Findley should go to Stoller no matter how north Bethany population grows or a new school built in East. Please keep it simple, and make a fair decision so even an outsider can understand.</p>

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								Jacob Wismer Elementary should stay inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. It is literally across the street and many families including mine moved here so we could walk to both elementary and middle school. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake.Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.
196	12/23/19	Nandini Sturm	nandamsturm@me.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		
197	12/23/19	Kevin Spears	kevin@thespears.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		My name is Kevin Spears and I am from the Findley community. Please don[?]t divide Findley community and let Findley continue to feed Stoller.Findley elementary has been feeding Stoller for almost 25 years. Findley families have been supporting Stoller growth with countless volunteer hours and fundraising events making Stoller what it is today. Stoller success is largely because of the neighborhood support structure and this pattern should be copied and not changed. A large portion of Findley is within walking distance to Stoller, currently about 47% and soon to be 73% with new THPRD trails. Many kids on the south of Bronson creek also walk to Stoller. We need a stable and long-term solution for overcrowding problem at Stoller. If Springville to Five Oaks travel (a maximum of 5.2 miles) is considered suffering, then Findley to Timberland (a maximum of 4.2 miles) is not any less, not to mention all the walking kids need to be bused.BSD have projected that JW and Findley enrollments will be going down during the coming decade. Sato is a growing community and geographically closer to Stoller as well. JW, Findley, Sato are the perfect recipe for Stoller for continued stable enrollment. The projections from BSD show that Stoller enrollment in theme2 for 2025 meets permanent capacity numbers and after 2025, enrollment trends indicate theme2 Stoller numbers do not increase. JW and Findley should be part of Stoller by default as Stoller was established in between JW and Findley.The Findley Community is a small close-knit community and splitting the school would be detrimental to the entire community. There is a healthy friendship and interaction between the families on either side of Bronson Creek. Bronson Creek is an arbitrary line, not a natural divider. Please DO NOT divide Findlay based on imaginary boundaries.Looking at the maps, Timberland school has natural feeders around the school: West TV, Cedar Mill, Bonny Slope, Terra Linda, Oak Hill.
198	12/23/19	Priyanka Mudgal	priyankamudgal19@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS			Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.
199	12/23/19	Adam Richter	adamrichter@gmail.com	Oak Hills Elem				I strongly believe that these lines should be drawn to match the high schools that the children will be going to. No splitting up of kids between middle to high school. They should be kept together as they progress through all of school: Elementary, Middle, High.
200	12/23/19	Andrea Schlechter	andreaschlechter@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		After looking at all four maps with student data, I cannot find the percentage of free and reduced anywhere for these new configurations? Maybe I am missing it. As someone who has worked in public schools for 20 years, I think it is very important for ALL kids not to make "rich kid" schools and "poor kid" schools.
201	12/23/19	Dawn Holden	dawnholden19@yahoo.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				We live behind Jacob Wismer and a 3 minute walk to Stoller. Moving our kids to another school would create more traffic in our neighborhood with buses trying to get in and out. It would not allow my Stoller kid help ick up my Jacob Wismer kid.
202	12/23/19	Carol Ben-Ari	carolcheslek@gmail.com	Rock Creek Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		None of the four maps proposed are realistic or sustainable solutions! My children go to Rock Creek and we live on off Laidlaw north of West Union. The kids from our neighborhood ride bikes to Stoller- it's a little over a mile down the road from us. It will take almost 15 minutes by bus from our neighborhood to Five Oaks (not even during rush hour!) Kids who live in the Deerfield and Rock Creek neighborhoods use the greenway to ride bikes to school. There's no way any of that would be possible if our children are bused miles out of their community to go to Five Oaks, where we have no legacy or ties. The schools that are closest to Timberland should go to Timberland, that would make an equitable commute time for ALL students, and Summa should be moved to Timberland, or BSD will just be revisiting this same issue for a THIRD time in a few years!!
203	12/23/19	Madhu R	mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	It is my understanding that every committee member is supposed to represent all BSD students and not just specific schools. I commend a vast majority of the committee members for displaying open mindedness and fairness. I was disturbed by a couple of things I saw in the Dec 19th meeting. These can be found in a video of the proceedings: At timestamp 27:56 and 56:14, we learned that the Findley committee member has been circulating emails to other committee members with data I saw in the Dec 19th meeting. These can be found in a video of the proceedings: At timestamp 27:56 and 56:14, we learned that the Findley committee member has been circulating emails to other committee members with data. Why is he corresponding off the record? I understand that committee interactions are supposed to be fully transparent in an open process. Given the sensitivities between Findley and Springville, this appears improper and disturbing, especially when a committee member from Findley with a personal stake in the redistricting effort, is engaging in this communication. The Findley committee member also spent about 9 minutes (time stamp 37:06) discrediting the theme maps with non-walkable parts of Findley moved to Timberland, although the themes are just supposed to be starting points where the numbers don't actually make sense in any of those parent driven theme maps constructed without full data. He does it again at time stamp 1:05:20 where he asserts that "the impact of it (the split) on the kids may be more on the kids than we like to think. . .". All of this is creating an unfair advantage within the committee for Findley's advocacy. I know Mr Sparks said that we should assume committee members are representing all of BSD, and I did see that for a large part, but I saw very specific instances where the Findley committee member appeared to have a single agenda, documented above. When the crux of this whole discussion is about which school gets to stay in Stoller, either all of those schools must be represented in the committee, or none of those schools must be represented, and the committee must be purely unbiased third parties with no skin in the game. As things stand, the process is flawed and unfair. This process needs to be fixed with either all sides included, or by excluding those with significant conflicts of interest. Why is he corresponding off the record? I understand that committee interactions are supposed to be fully transparent in an open process. Given the sensitivities between Findley and Springville, this appears improper and disturbing, especially when a committee member from Findley with a personal stake in the redistricting effort, is engaging in this communication. The Findley committee member also spent about 9 minutes (time stamp 37:06) discrediting the theme maps with non-walkable parts of Findley moved to Timberland, although the themes are just supposed to be starting points where the numbers don't actually make sense in any of those parent driven theme maps constructed without full data. He does it again at time stamp 1:05:20 where he asserts that "the impact of it (the split) on the kids may be more on the kids than we like to think." All of this is creating an unfair advantage within the committee for Findley's advocacy. I know Mr Sparks said that we should assume committee members are representing all of BSD, and I did see that for a large part, but I saw very specific instances where the Findley committee member appeared to have a single agenda, documented above. When the crux of this whole discussion is about which school gets to stay in Stoller, either all of those schools must be represented in the committee, or none of those schools must be represented, and the committee must be purely unbiased third parties with no skin in the game. As things stand, the process is flawed and unfair. This process needs to be fixed with either all sides included, or by excluding those with significant conflicts of interest.

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								I was at the Dec. 19th meeting, and would like to take this chance to say a big "THANK YOU" for the committee members and public speakers who chose to stand for the under representative kids from the less resourceful families at Rock Creek and Springville. These two schools have the highest number of students with economical and physical disadvantage among the current Stoller feeders while Findley and Jacob Wismer has the identical student body composition with the lowest number students in the same group. I was especially impressed with the statement from the high school student committee: since none of the proposal is ideal, let's do the least evil. And I truly believe this is the exact reason why as a community, we should value diversity and inclusion the most in our education. There is always a hope in our community when all of our kids can come to an agreement that let's do the least evil when none of the proposal is ideal when they are out of school. If Rock Creek and Springville are removed from Stoller at the same time, Students from Findley and JW can enjoy walking or having the shortest commute time to their MS. However, Stoller will lose the diversity of the student body composition with more than 90% white and Asian students from the most resourceful family in the district. The opportunity for the teenagers to learn and experience diversity and inclusion at Stoller will be gone also. Do we want to nurture a value of building the all-inclusive community and do the least evil for our future? Or do we just want to teach our kids that yourself being able to walking to school is the most important thing? I hope we can make a right choice.
204	12/23/19	Yuhua Tan	mtshui2012@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		
205	12/23/19	Ansh	Anshul792k4@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		For one time lets think that this new middle school was built in the NW near Westview high. Now at that point, if I ask Findley to move to Cedar Park MS first and push around a bunch of kids rather than having Springville feed directly into the new school, would you call this idea crazy? Yes, that is how illogical and crazy moving Springville to Five Oaks is when the new school has come up in the NE. Just a self serving idea to keep Findley at Stoller overlooking the grave issues it causes the other kids.
206	12/23/19	Akhil Sharma	Sharma.akhil@yahoo.com					Adjustment advisory committee has representatives from middle school areas. A representative means a person who can represent the wishes of his people and take some balanced approach. Hearing the ramblings of Abhijit on Dec 19th, and his 100% dedication to theme 2 and 3 which serves only Findley parent's interest, and totally ignoring comments from rock creek and Springville and Sato, tells us something about this so called representative. He is only there to serve his own personal interest. He isn't a representative in any sense of the word.
207	12/23/19	Bina M	Prati_bha@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	I saw a lot of concern about splitting kids in the last committee meeting. If all of Findley and the Sunset portion of Jacob Wismer are moved to Timberland, that would be an all Sunset school, and Stoller would be an all Westview school. That avoid split feeders to high school when, we hear it actually matters more.
208	12/23/19	Tanya Bae	ct.rb@hotmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear Committee, Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:1. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).2. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.3. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.4. Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve. Sincerely,Tanya Bae
209	12/24/19	Bina M	prati_bha@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Dear Committee Members,I am sure you are well aware of the reality that Timberland is at a non-ideal location, and only able to be fed by certain schools.Both Findley and Springville have it reasonably well today:- For Findley: Stoller ranges from being walkable to a little over 2 miles- For Springville: Stoller ranges from 1.5 to 2.5 miles with trails and lit crosswalks throughout to facilitate easy biking.To solve the overcrowding, we need to consider reasonable solutions for all and not prioritize only the convenience of the Findley neighborhoods. If Springville is moved to Five Oaks, the commute increases to a range from 3 to a maximum of over 5.1 miles across some of the busiest intersections in the area such as 185th and 26, Bethany and Cornell, Bethany and 26, Cornell and 185th. It is also no longer possible to bike to school.If Findley is moved to Timberland, their commute increases to a range from 2.4 to 3.6 miles, but without crossing the 26/Cornell intersections.Both these are absolutely non-ideal, and there may need to be some redrawing for the walkable portions of Findley.Given these facts, Themes 1 and 4 are closest to being reasonable for all students. It keeps areas within Findley that are walkable to Stoller at Stoller, and does not unduly burden Springville and Rockcreek students with some of the longest commutes through the busiest intersections, and also does not transfer the overcrowding burden to Five Oaks, creating ripple effects throughout the district.I may be slightly off in my distance calculations since there was no straightforward way of doing it, but I hope the committee will make a fair and equitable map here. Unfortunately Springville is not represented in the committee while Findley is. I hope the other fair minded committee members will make up for that.
210	12/24/19	Ratika Hansen	Ratika.hansen@intel.com	Jacob Wismer Elem				Please keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary. Stoller suffers from terrible overcrowding and this must be addressed. However, sending Jacob Wismer to another middle school would be a terrible mistake because:Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.We recognize that the boundary adjustment process is very difficult, but we ask that you find another solution that makes more sense. Moving Jacob Wismer out of Stoller causes many more problems than it would solve.
211	12/24/19	Harry	niniding0909@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			As Christmas is approaching, we still hope that BSD members can see the relative rationality of 1 or 4 of the 4 maps. Please take full account of the capacity and diversity of each school. Every child should be treated fairly and reasonably. For the speech of one person at the meeting: "the whole Springville is already bused, so just bused them somewhere else." It is the most irresponsible attitude I have ever heard. No data analysis and judgment! A member of BSD only emphasized his own position throughout the meeting. It is not considered from the entire school district. Everyone knows that he is the representative of Findley at the end of the meeting. When such an important meeting affects a key school, it should not be attended by representatives of that school. It is unconvincing and unfair to everyone. I think most members of BSD will make fair decisions through reasonable data and various factors. I wish you a Merry Christmas.

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															Dear Committee - You may or may not be aware of how this redistricting process has turned into all out war between Findley (and Jacob Wismer) on one side, and Springville and Rock Creek on the other side. The first side wants to keep Stoller and Summa and the current boundaries while the Springville and Rock Creek side want to avoid a much longer commute across 26 and stay in Stoller. The community activism that arose out of this resulted in the 4 Theme maps, and I wouldn't call those broadly representative of BSD. The all out war is also quite ugly, pitting friends against friends and neighbors against neighbors, and leaves Springville and Rock Creek sides feeling unrepresented in the committee, especially given the battle lines that have been drawn.I hope BSD will work toward a better and more equitable process here that is fair to all.
212	12/24/19	Madhu R		mrangar@yahoo.com		Springville K-8		Stoller MS		Westview		Springville K-8			
															At the Dec. 19th meeting, one of the Stoller committee member asked the audience this question: raise your hand if you want to walk to school? Ironically, it was the same committee member at the Nov. 21st meeting asked what the maximum distance is, kids can be bused by law to their school. I was hesitated to say she as a committee member, is biased or not. But it was interesting to see how she was trying to mislead the audience by asking these two questions at two meetings with one month apart. As a committee member, the correct and unbiased question to ask the audience is: Raise your hand if you want to make your neighbor kids extend their school commute time to the legal maximum in order for your kids to enjoy their daily exercise by walking to school? This is exactly the ethical dilemma the community is facing now. I hope the decision makers at BSD will look at the entire district, especially the underrepresented students from the less resourceful families with an equity mindset and choose to do the least evil.
213	12/24/19	Syngge Yu		synggeyu@hotmail.com		Springville K-8		Stoller MS		Westview					
															I apologize if any of my previous comments come across as impugning the integrity of specific committee members. My intent was to impugn the process and not individuals. I have the deepest respect for all the individuals involved in giving their time for this effort.Every single individual has conscious or unconscious biases. It is very unrealistic to expect elementary school parents to disregard everything and vote against what they believe is in the best interests of their children. With that in mind, I fundamentally question the validity of a process where all the biases are not represented in the committee to hopefully result in a fair overall result.I think it is highly unfair that a committee asked to make a very controversial recommendation on which schools continue to go to Stoller and which schools get moved out - something negative for all sides that get impacted - does not include individuals affected from all sides. That is a fundamental flaw in the process that I hope gets addressed.
214	12/24/19	Madhu R		mrangar@yahoo.com		Springville K-8		Stoller MS		Westview		Springville K-8			
															My concern is that Rock Creek will suffer the most from this boundary change. Springville and Finley gave a good deal regardless. If Springville stays at Stoller that good. If Springville doesn't stay at Stoller that's still good because they in this case most likely move to Five Oaks with like schools such as Rock Creek and Bethany. Either way this is a good deal since they will be well balanced academically. Same holds for Finley. If they move to Timberland they have a good deal and the same holds if they stay at Stoller since they will be balanced academically either way. My concern is that Rock Creek will be shuffled in whatever direction to make the numbers meet. I am hoping that BSD will ensure that things are balanced out academically for all and not downgrade certain schools to maximum just to get the numbers to balance
215	12/24/19	Arta Montero		arta.pecaj@gmail.com		Rock Creek Elem		Stoller MS		Westview					
															One of Finley proposals/comments called to convert Rock Creek to a middle school and Springville, Rock Creek and possibly Bethany can feed into. Rock Creek elementary can then feed to Springville or Bethany.Based on their evaluation this would solve everything and there is no need for modifications in either of these buildings. I am hoping BSD will consider this option since it will solve all the problems and ensure that people attend schools in their neighborhoods
216	12/24/19	ArtA Montero		arta.pecaj@gmail.com		Rock Creek Elem		Stoller MS		Westview					
															I think it makes no sense to remove Finley from Stoller due to proximity. It's unfortunate that the middle school was built in the wrong place and then we all get punished because of BSD poor planning
217	12/24/19	Arta Montero		arta.pecaj@gmail.com		Rock Creek Elem		Stoller MS		Westview					
															It is my understanding that at the last board meeting there was a suggestion from one of the committee members that the Oakridge neighborhood directly across the street from Stoller Middle school (the portion of the Findley attendance area north of Bronson Creek) should be moved to Timberline Middle school. I want to go on record once again to stress unequivocally my overwhelming dissatisfaction with that notion. We are within steps of Stoller, my son walks to and from school safely, never needing to driven or ride a bus. To assert that moving this portion of the Findley attendance area out of Stoller is a responsible option is woefully illogical. I understand some have maintained that it is crucial to keep elementary schools intact as the student body moves on to middle school; I agree with this assertion if all students involved are uniformly either walking or accessing a bus to get to school. To eliminate the ability of a cohort of students to walk to Stoller and thus be subjected to riding a bus to Timberline is to illogically and irresponsibly subject them to the unnecessary risks of riding in a bus on a daily basis especially in inclement weather when they otherwise would not need to, squander valuable time in the morning and afternoon riding on the bus unnecessarily, as well as to incur costs to the taxpayers to bus a cohort of children who otherwise could be walking to school. These reasons clearly trump the assertion of keeping elementary students together when moving on to middle school. Our neighborhood already experiences a transitional splitting of student cohorts when moving from Stoller to high school, with some students heading to Westview and others heading to Sunset; this transition is not cataclysmic and otherwise represents a natural fact of life.Please responsibly focus on the impact your decisions have on the children as opposed to metrics the committee feels compelled to meet.
218	12/25/19	Michael Jugo		mjjugo@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset					
															1. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).2. Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.3. North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.4. Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.
219	12/25/19	CHIH HENG TSENG		tomtseng@gmail.com		Jacob Wismer Elem		Stoller MS							
															I think it's absolutely unreasonable to take Jacob Wismer, located RIGHT ACROSS the street of Stoller, out of Stoller boundary and move to Timberland that is about 3 miles away from Jacob Wismer. If move to Timberland it will add additional financial burden to BSD due to unnecessary transportation cost by moving students from walking distance school to school they have to take school buses.
220	12/25/19	Kyong Park		STAR217@GMAIL.COM		Jacob Wismer Elem									

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221	12/25/19	Siddappa Attur	siddappa.attur@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Kids in JW MUST stay in Stoller Middle school.Both are literally in same campus, how can they move to different middle school? It does not make sense if you think it without any bias.Kids from Arbor Heights can both walk to JW and Stoller without requiring any bus facilities.Moving them away makes everyone from JW to take to a different bus away from the school very near to home. If changed, its very saddening to see kids taking bus to far away school crossing our home school which is next to our home where kids have dreamt of going on their own by walk to middle school. Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.Considering all the above points, it makes sense to Keep JW in Stoller middle school.
222	12/25/19	Jagadevi Chikkalli	jagadevi.chikkalli@gmail.com	Jacob Wismer Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		1.Kids in JW MUST go to Stoller Middle school. Both are literally in same campus, how can they move to different middle school. It does not make sense if you think without any bias.2.Kids from Arbor Heights can both walk to JW and Stoller very safely from the backside road. Moving them away makes everyone from JW to take to a different bus away from the school very near to home.3.If changed, its very saddening to see kids taking bus to far away school crossing our home school which is next to our home where kids have dreamt of going on their own by walk to middle school.4.Currently Jacob Wismer students have a safe walk/bike route to middle school. This would not be possible at a more distant middle school. In addition, older siblings at Stoller would not be able to escort their siblings at Jacob Wismer home (as many now do). This creates both safety problems and problems with student participation in activities (because of reduced transportation options).5.Busing students from the neighborhoods directly around Jacob Wismer to another middle school would create the need for many additional buses, and may involve sending buses over old, narrow roads. This is both an additional huge expense for the school district and a safety hazard.6.North Bethany is growing rapidly, while neighborhoods in the Jacob Wismer boundary are not. Removing Jacob Wismer from Stoller will not address the increase in student population expected over the next few years, and thus will help only temporarily.7.Some Jacob Wismer students fall within the Sunset HS boundary, while some are within the Westview HS boundary. If Jacob Wismer is removed from Stoller, one of those groups of students will have to attend high school without knowing many other students. This removes vital social support during a very stressful transition time for adolescents.8.This will create more problems for everyone, most students have to spend time in bus, kids from JW have to commute to far away school and far away kids have come to Stoller. Its like traffic in both the direction, buses in and out of JW area. 9.North Bethany is a new area, there is lot of scope even to build a new school. We from old school don[?]t even have space to build and if not Stoller, any school will be far for us.
223	12/26/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Objective 1: Fill TimberlandObjective 2: Reduce StollerIn the resulting neighborhood wars, the focus in on #2. Findley wants to throw Springville under the bus to avoid Timberland. Jacob Wismer appears to be going along to keep Summa in Stoller. There is a lot of ugliness all around. Under these circumstances, I find it mind boggling that BSD would give Findley and Jacob Wismer a vote on their own fates in the committee while excluding other affected schools.
224	12/26/19	Vinod Kulkarni	vkpkulkarni@gmail.com		Stoller MS			Mr. Sparks - Thank you for being objective and running a fair process. I applaud the committee members (except Stoller) representing BSD for their objective, data drive approach to solving a very difficult & emotions boundary adjustment.As for the Stoller representation, I have little to no confidence in Abhijit & Divya ability to be objective & unbiased.Case in Point:Yamini Nimmagadda (Findley Parent) made a proposal on Dec 16th (right before the Dec 19th committee meeting) in which she requested the following as criteria (many Findley parents support this view):1. Walkability2. No Split FeedingIf you review the Dec 19th committee meeting minutes, you will notice both the Stoller representatives use up all of their talking minutes to promote the above said ideas. This was a blatant attempt at pushing the Findley narrative and completely disregarding your call to duty.I have also learnt Abhijit Sathaye is a Findley parent and since Findley ES is in the heart of debate, I perceive him to have a conflict of interest. He just cannot be objective and unbiased given his circumstance. Abhijit needs to be recused from the advisory committee deliberations ASAP. The other committee members (outside Stoller) are doing a great job being objective & fair and it should be left to them to come up with recommendations for the 2 stated boundary adjustment objectives.
225	12/26/19	Lisa Jiang	lisa.h.yan@gmail.com		Stoller MS			Being the oldest school fed into Stoller, Findley parents have been putting in countless volunteer hours and money over the years and nurtured the Stoller middle school withe a great deal of love and commitment to excellence, resulting in high ranking of Stoller middle school. Springville community should work with BSD for creating a new middle school or reinstating Springville middle as a neighborhood school as both Stoller and Five Oaks are not in walking zone.
226	12/26/19	Pramodh Bangaru	Pb97229@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		Subject:Remove Findley and Jacob Wismer committee members from Advisory board.I have attended the Dec 19 meeting and I have lot of concern coming out of the meeting. As a community member of Springvill, I feel that BSD bord did injustice to Springvill and Rockcreek since BSD did not pick any advisory committee members from these two schools where the impact of the boundary change is more compare to any other schools . The committee members representing Springvill MS are more biased towards their ES schools and promoting the themes that are advantageous to their ES without any equal consideration to other ES. It was very clear and blatant support was given to theme that are advantageous to their ES. As a parent I request BSD to either include additional committee members from Springvill and Rockcreek or remove the committee members from Findley and JW ES or Should be given no vote for these two members , otherwise it is calling for legal battle.I hope BSD board will look at this injustice with fairness and make some adjustment in the next meeting
227	12/26/19	Mike	micmartinn@gmail.com					When BSD's NW schools are competing to stay at Stoller it's unfair to have ABHIJIT(a Findley parent) in the committee. Abhijit has a pure conflict of interest as he is a Findley ES parent and isn't representing all ES communities under Stoller MS. Abhijit's acts of emailing other committee members raising a serious concern of transparency of the BSD process. He also neglected the main objective(fill Timberland MS) of Dec 19th meeting and his ill intentions to work offline with other committee members were already caught live in the last 2 meetings video. Except Abhijit and Divya rest of the committee members are unbiased and putting their efforts to solve this complex problem. Mr.Sparks, It's not too late either to remove him from MS boundary committee or include reps from other ES's under Stoller MS ASAP. I have a huge confidence that you address this concern ASAP as you said you read each and every comment.
228	12/26/19	SANJOY SAHA	sanjoy123@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview		I applaud the committee members (except Stoller) representing BSD for their objective, data drive approach to solving a very difficult & emotions boundary adjustment. As for the Stoller representation, I have little to no confidence in Abhijit & Divya ability to be objective & unbiased.Case in Point:Yamini Nimmagadda (Findley Parent) made a proposal on Dec 16th (right before the Dec 19th committee meeting) in which she requested the following as criteria (many Findley parents support this view):1. Walkability2. No Split FeedingIf you review the Dec 19th committee meeting minutes, you will notice both the Stoller representatives use up all of their talking minutes to promote the above said ideas. This was a blatant attempt at pushing the Findley narrative and completely disregarding your call to duty.I have also learnt Abhijit Sathaye is a Findley parent and since Findley ES is in the heart of debate, I perceive him to have a conflict of interest. He just cannot be objective and unbiased given his circumstance. Abhijit needs to be recused from the advisory committee deliberations ASAP.

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229	12/26/19	Pronab das	Pronab.das@qorvo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	Recommend keeping Findley kids go to Stoller and SUMMA program be retained at Stoller. I recommend consolidating Stoller and Jacob Wismer into K-8 school, construct any additional classrooms needed on the available open space currently existing onsite two schools. This may dictate we give away school playgrounds for Stoller and use that of Jacob Wismer's. This is to provide students from North Bethany. Thank you..
230	12/26/19	Shyam Raghavan	Shyamku@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS			When reviewing some recent proposals for changing boundaries for Stoller, one question came up in my family that I would like to share "What about kids who can walk to Stoller MS?" It seems that in implementing some of the plans out there would require kids to ride the bus even if they live within walking distance to Stoller. Most people may agree that such a situation would be very awkward. As responsible adults and decision makers it is important that we evaluate the efficiencies or lack thereof, in all solutions being considered. Spending less time driving (not more) to school must be a collective priority for guiding solutions.I hope and feel that most people in the district would agree, walking/biking to school is better for our kids than riding the bus whenever it is possible. Walking is good for their health, it reduces the number of vehicles on our roads (ie. traffic), and reduces auto emissions (Ie.. environment). Having fewer bus routes (not more) would also help reduce costs. Thankyou for reading.
231	12/26/19	Aditya Kukday	kukday@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Hi I wanted to highlight the risk associated with making decisions based on estimates/forecasts. In 2018-2019 BSD had budget cuts because its estimates for enrollment during that academic year was wrong. BSD ESTIMATE OF STUDENT ENROLLMENT IN 2018 FOR THE SAME YEAR WAS WRONG. SO HOW CAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE MAKE DECISIONS IN 2019 FOR A 2025? HOW ACCURATE WOULD THOSE ESTIMATES?So, for advisory committee to take decisions based on 2025 projected enrollment would be ridiculously wrong. Here is quote from BSD "Overall enrollment growth was flat, though Beaverton officials anticipated continued student enrollment growth." So if BSD got estimate for 2018, in the same year wrong - who is responsible if decision made in 2019 for a 2025 projection is wrong? Should Springville students bear the responsibility for incorrect BSD estimates and flawed reliance on those estimates? Request the advisory committee members to please take note of this.
232	12/26/19	Rucha Kulkarni	rucha23@gmail.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS			Hi - I wanted to highlight that walking to school is a privilege not a right. All across US, millions of kids take bus to school including majority of BSD kids. So parents shouldn't feel entitled to "walk" to school. As is, in Portland weather, the long line of cars outside Stoller clearly demonstrates that majority of students don't walk, but are dropped off to school (those that are not eligible for bus). All eligible for bus take the bus per BSD data. Stoller is the closest school for Springville students. Even if Findley and JW students get bused to new middle school, it is still comparable to most of other students commute in BSD. Busing hundreds of students from North Bethany to Five Oaks is unrealistic and unreasonable simply because SOME parents want the luxury of their kids walking to school SOMETIMESFinally - middle and high school feeder pattern is clearly more important than walking. So all area's feeding into Sunset should also feed into Timberland.
233	12/26/19	Prashant Kowtal	prashant.p.kowtal@gmail.com	Springville K-8				Respected Mr. Sparks and Mr. Grotting, I would like to thank you for conducting the middle school boundary meetings very efficiently and enabling the community participation efforts. I wanted to bring to your notice the concerns based on observations during the recent meeting held on 12/19 at Cedar Park middle school; Pls note these concerns are not just coming from myself but several other parents that I have interacted with since.Concern #1: The primary objective of the boundary adjustment exercise is to finalize the feeder schools for new Timberland - however the discussions were primarily focused around reducing Stoller enrollment capacity which is actually objective #2; so please help to moderate as necessary. Grave Concern #2: It was observed that two committee members namely Abhijit Sathaye and Divya Kolar who have been nominated to the committee as Stoller representatives; but in reality they had abdicated their assigned roles, and instead they had taken on self-assigned roles as Findley and Jacob Wismer parent-activists who were seen on public record coming through as representatives for their own elementary schools respectively. This is a grave concern for several parents from Springville and Rockcreek that had observed their behaviors and also it has been reported in many comments to BSD. The bias was very evidently displayed based on the manner in which Abhijit went about discarding theme # 1 and theme # 4 maps within less than one minute of the discussion kick-off; the data points given by Abhijit were utterly misleading, and it was seen as leading the other committee through a garden path; Divya was observed as giving the backing for this. There are other instances as well - with Divya throwing out a seemingly incorrect statement about Findley[?]s walkable area to Stoller which is less than 25% of total enrollment but the statements were misleading that [?]majonty[?] of Findley is in the walkable area to Stoller. We humbly request your support to include representatives for Springville and Rockcreek in the committee so Abhijit and Divya can continue to be the Findley and Jacob Wismer reps. Concern #3: As per current boundaries a all of Findley feeds into Sunset HS as well as a large chunk of JW feeds into Sunset HS while other schools at Stoller namely Springville, Rockcreek, Sato, and part of JW feeds into Westview HS. The middle school to high school split feeder pattern is a huge concern as was evidenced by several testimonials - the kids suffer in their well-being as they lose all their friends & community contacts when they go to a different HS than their other middle school students. Please avoid this middle school to high school split feeder by redistricting all of Findley and part of JW that feeds Sunset to new Timberlands MS. Findley & JW kids will get to stay with all of their MS friends when they move from Timberlands MS to Sunset HS. Thanks for reading! My email and phone number is on the comments, and am available to provide any additional info as you request. Happy Holidays!! Thanks,Prashant
234	12/26/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Both Jacob Wismer and Findley are LITERALLY closer to Five Oaks than Springville.. the fact that Themes 2 and 3 were being treated with any seriousness at all in the Dec 19th meeting is just mind boggling..
235	12/26/19	Madhu R	Mrangar@yahoo.com	Springville K-8	Stoller MS	Westview	Springville K-8	Themes 2 and 3 from the Dec 19th meeting smell of mean spiritedness from a group of parents who wanted to avoid going to a brand new middle school with great feeders, and hence threw Springville children under the bus.Both Findley and Jacob Wismer are LITERALLY closer to Five Oaks than Springville....
236	12/26/19	Helen Mckee	helenjmckee@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Five Oaks MS			I think the first order of priority for determining any school for kids is walkability. If a school is close enough to walk to, that should be the child's school. I hate the idea of splitting kids from their elementary friends, but honestly, walkability is more important and a better use of resources (gas, buses, drivers)
237	12/26/19	Ashwini Upasani	ashwini.upasani@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Westview		Thinking long term is the only approach that BSD should take to solve the Stoller overcrowding problem:-Stoller MS has always been feeder school for Findley with all neighborhood kids attending. With completion of all walking trails, nearly 73% of all Findley kids would be walking to Stoller MS. Walkability is a major factor to be considered here. When Springville kids had the option of attending middle school (K-8) right next to their neighborhood, parents still went ahead and bussed kids to Stoller MS inspite of it adding travel time to schedule. If travel time wasn't a relevant factor back then, it can't be used as an argument now.-Keeping two big elementary schools such as Springville and Sato from growing neighborhoods can never solve the Stoller overcrowding problem. To solve this problem, either split Springville and move part to Five Oaks and keep rest in Stoller or move out entire Springville to Five Oaks.
238	12/26/19	Vikram Vemulapalli	vikramv@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		Dear BSD, i attended the last boundary committee meeting at Cedar Park middle school. Wanted to give few insights on why Findley elementary needs to continue to feed into Stoller middle school. A few other school communities took pot shots at Findley instead of advocating for themselves. Here are several reasons why Findley elementary needs to feed into Stoller!!1. Findley boundary stops right at Stoller. With the new proposed and approved THPRD trails more than 66% of Findley community becomes walkable.2. Several studies including from Harvard show that linear progression of elementary schools INTACT with no split into a middle school is very important for children[?]s educational, psychological and emotional well being. Per the same studies linear progression of middle to high school is not beneficial. 3. Overcrowding issue at Stoller is not caused by a stabilizing and declining Findley elementary school. The overcrowding is caused by the rapid growth at 2 other schools.4. BSD has a precedent NOT to disturb the vicinity areas and bus the new growing communities if the existing schools can not fit in.5. Why would a proximity and walkable Findley community be considered to be moved out and bussed while other communities that are far away and that any way need to be bussed , need to be at Stoller.6. At the last meeting several people were not paying attention to the BSD basic ask of considering the numbers. There is one and only one way of meeting the Stoller numbers which is starting with Theme2 map.7. One last comment on 45 minutes that was being used as a argument: it does not take 45mins in peak morning rush hour to drive from Bethany to downtown using US26. I hope BSD gets the commute time from the transportation department and put and end to this myth.Thanking you for taking time to read my feedback.

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239	12/26/19	Sureshkumar.A		Nasureshkumar@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS							Dear Sir / Madam,Thanks for the Meeting arranged to hear the public option.During the meeting heard 2 public person mentioned to remove Findley from Stoller will resolve the issue.4 school feeding Springville, sato, jacob and Rock creek to stoller will not resolve the issue which is growing community.i like to bring your notice mentioning this removing findley from stoller will not solve the problem. Again we are back to square one for the same discussion not only school and also with transport cost.I remember when there is big budget issue came for Oaks hills lot of bus removed even kids need to cross the busy bethany blvd road.Also already all springville , rock creek using transport to Stoller.Rock creek is going through 185 th for stoller.which is not case for Jacob / Findley, THPRD invested money to make more walk able trail to school.While building the school several news mentioned spring ville will be moving to timber land to accommodated the new school. i don't why we are changing this?In case if you want to move findley to new school now all findley need to have transportation to new school which is another cost iStoller. Still number will be high in Stoller. Need to move summa as well.for findley needs to go through in salzman more traffic in Cornell which is not two lanes more congestion In case of Spring ville already transport cost is there which will not increase more for this movement. Only thing i heard they need to go on 185th. its not mandatory to go through 185th. Even elementary school able walk in bethany Blvd. Even though there are other ways we can achieve through bethany.During the meeting i heard Spring ville and Sato will around 800 kids still growing, total capacity near to that.if you need achieve that only two school can go Stoller and also remove Jacob wismer.One of the community member mentioned removing Jacob and findley from Stoller will resolve.As a parent living in the same community where my kids go to school by walk, if you are planning to move new middle school how local community of Jacob / findley will accept this and also why i need to support the school improvement. my son is not going to Stoller why need to support the school. unreasonable its moved out.More viable option which i see move Rock creek to Five oaks and move spring ville to Timberland.Keep Findley, Jacob and Sato in stoller keeps the strength same.Also Findley numbers are not growing as big which can accommodate sato community their growth.Doing summa kids from Spring ville and rock creek can accommodate in Meadows park which reduce the strength of Stoller as well.
240	12/26/19	Dinela Ramku		dina.ramku@gmail.com		Findley Elem									We were very concerned about the comments in the last meeting suggesting that walkability to school is not important. It is the most important issue for the many families surrounding Stoller. Having the kids able to walk to school eliminates a lot of congestion from what already is a very crowded Laidlaw road. Three neighborhoods have only points of exit right next to Stoller on Laidlaw. Requiring more kids to be bused in and away would be detrimental to the neighborhoods. It's the wrong thing to do for the kids. Walking to school is healthy and while that option is not available for all, let's do all that we can to maximize it for those for which it is available. Furthermore, THPRD has spent/is spending millions to add trails which would extend walkability to more areas. Washington County is adding shoulders to Saltzman to allow even more kids to walk to school. Let's not be silly and let that investment go to waste as kids get bused away. Lastly, it's the wrong thing to do from a sustainability perspective. Reducing traffic and pollution are key goals of our city. Let's help that by making decisions that support that.
241	12/26/19	Aditya Kapoor		kapooraditya@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset		ISB			We would like you to strongly consider keeping Findley community within stoller due to proximity to the middle school as well as the fact that Springville community is continuing to grow while Findley community feeding into stoller will keep the growth in check.
242	12/26/19	Steve		soo13579@gmail.com				Stoller MS							We have to admit that no one can cater to everyone. 1. However, there should be a certain condition that we should put the first priority on. Proximity. I read some comments saying that even students within walking distance from Stoller should go to be bused to a farther school. It sounds very irrational and also looks like they suggest this absurd idea only because they personally believe it will do something good to their own kids (better possibility to stay at Stoller though they live farther from Stoller?). If Findley students living in the walking distance from Stoller are sent to Timberland, then, as some comments suggest, JW (which is the next close school to Timberland after Findley) and Sato can go to Timberland. This is as illogical as the idea of sending SPV students who live far North to FO.No need to add unnecessary transportation cost and commute time. It is common sense that the area within walking distance of Stoller should keep feeding Stoller, regardless of their ES. 2. Regarding splitting feeder schools. We already have these cases (ES to MS and MS to HS). It might not be ideal, but it has not caused that much trouble. Also, there are different halls at Stoller, and it is unlikely to meet with their friends at school when they are assigned to different halls. Also, from ES to MS, students follow different options including private schools, option schools and the SUMMA program. The impact of splitting feeder ESs to MSs would be minimal. If necessary, other ESs including SPV could be split.3. I believe BSD is trying to use a holistic approach, being objective not subjective by looking more into numbers and data than people's emotion. I hope/believe BSD can come up with a solution that can solve this difficult issue and the whole community can help the students with the transition.
243	12/26/19	Anant & Sharada Jahagirdar		anantshruti@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset					Hi, I am a strong believer of public schools. Public schools, especially the elementary and middle schools are defined in such a way that, they are really the neighborhood schools. They are mostly in the walking distance so homes. This not only reduces the overhead cost of maintaining bus system, but also ensures, neighborhood community is involved in every school activity and school grows with the community. Community treats the neighborhood school as an extended family and grows with it also. Parents volunteer in their kids classes, they go and help in the school projects and over the years community shapes the school growth and school in turn shapes the community. This becomes more important during inclement weather, we want our kids at a walking distance during inclement weather, reaching them out via walking is the only means of getting them out of there. This is really true for Elementary and Middle schools, while this is true also for high schools also, but having so many high schools is not just economically viable.It's a community feeling, we see the school next to us, we go to school not only during school days, during weekends to help cleaning, community gatherings etc...It's like part of our life. Findley is feeding to stoller for quarter of a century now (25Yrs), pretty sure the findley families have been an integral part of Stoller growth over the years and pretty sure findley families have a great hand in making stoller what it is right now.I am writting all this as I am a strong believer in public schools and that too our neighborhood schools for all the reasons mentioned above. We have been reading all the comments online from SPV community on throwing Findley out of Stoller (>70% of Findley kids are <1 mile from Stoller and walk to stoller). Also, there wasa comment from the BSD committee member in the last meeting (12/19/19), that JW and FE should be out of Stoller while SPV/Sate and RC stay in Stoller? I dont understand the argument here. Are we making decision based on facts and data or some random way? 1.SPV and Sato are heavily growing communities. Having both of them feed to ONE MIDDLE SCHOOL is just postponing the overcrowding issue at Stoller. We will be back again in 2023 January with the stoller overcrowding issue and rezoning again because of North Bethany's crazy growth. FE and JW (which are feeding to Stoller for 25+Yrs now are well established communities. In fact the numbers from these two communities are going down, as there are NO NEW communities coming in the Findley community). This has been studied in detail by an independent PSU study). Please see, the growth projection data can be viewed from the PSU study in (pages 36, 37, 38): https://pdxscholar.library.pdx.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1129&context=enrollmentforecasts2 .We CANNOT have kids using bus to go from SPV to Stoller (100%) and bus going from Findley to Timberland (100%). This is just not a good solution. ~75% of FE students walk to Stoller (with the new trails that have been already completed and also in the works to complete in 2Yrs).3.Best solution would be to have Stoller fed from Findley, JW and Sato (the three nearest Elementary schools).4.SPV feeding to Five Oaks or Timberland (NOTE: there is onyl 1 min less travel time from SPV to Five Oaks compared to SPV to Timberland). This way heavily growing SPV community can feed Timberland and keep it more efficiently used. This is fair on older communities, who have built and grown the Stoller middle school for decades now. 5. I am NOT a strong believer of Elementary/Middle school kids taking long route buses. So the concerns that I brought up above for FE kids also apply to any Elementary/Middle school kid. So, I am against point 4 mentioned above also. it doesnt matter, kid is a kid, it could be from SPV or from FE. Most appropriate solution would be to have another middle school north of Springville Rd. There is already so much chaos on Springville road, laidlaw, cornell because of the school buses and I cannot imagine more buses being added to this either because some one thinks moving FE out of Stoller 100%
244	12/26/19	Kiran patil		kiran.a.patil@gmail.com		Findley Elem		Stoller MS		Sunset					1. No splitting the Findley please. It is essential to have continuity from elementary to middle school because kids go thru physical and emotional changes during middle school. During that time is us must to have friends which has been there from elementary and it is key factor for their overall development.2. Please do not take away a neighborhood school from Findley folks which they can walk. Proximity, walkability is important and currently 43% walks to stroller from JW and Findley and it is expected to improve to 73% with planned trails by THPRD3. Only way goal of 90% capacity for stroller can be met by having only one growth school along with JW and Findley. so the combination which can work even long term is Sato +JW + FE4. During last several meetings, parents from SPV has been abusing distance myth without having real transportation data and saying it will take 45 mins which doesn't sound logical and correct5. During last meeting, system if random selection was compromised, hence comments from SPV and RC to be considered invalid. Those parents spoke even though they were not picked in random selection process6. Having SPV with RC for five oaks will improve the rating and fill in diversity gap for five oaks as well, and in long run, numbers will continue to work 7. FE and JW has been basic feeder and neighborhood school for stroller and there is successful formula of students+teacher+community, please don't break it. Whereas it can be established in Five oaks by having Springville to there along with RC.8. Laidlaw, Thompson, saltzman, Bethany are all single lane whereas 185th is two ways hence it won't take too long for Springville to go to five oaks.
245	12/26/19	Pavan Akkisetty		avspavan@gmail.com		Findley Elem									Dear committee, please look at the below facts before making your decisions. My request for you is to keep findley in stoller. 1. Is the official transportation data support the 45 min travel time from springville to fiveoaks?2. Pushing findley out of stoller has domino effect. A neighborhood school from timberland has to travel past 26. So whether findley or springville that gets kicked out of Stoller, there is a need for almost 800 kids to travel south of 26 from north of 26. Question is, what are we giving up for each of the scenarios. 3. Equity, ethnicity data showed that whether it is findley or springville that stays in stoller, stoller numbers don't see a variation, whereas FO equity numbers improve with springville and RC going there

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246	12/26/19	Ann Smith	other007@outlook.com					<p>I'm saddened that I need to write our school district to plead for a long-standing truth in child welfare... Keep Children In Their Communities. Splitting up an elementary school in order to fill a new middle is not an appropriate practice. Children take time to build friendships. Entering middle school is already a very stressful time. To compound that stress by breaking apart friend groups into two middle schools is not a healthy solution for our children. Splitting apart Findley into separate schools means that kids will need to start over (socially) in middle school, then possibly again in high school since Stoller splits into Westview and Sunset. We have a serious crisis with depression and suicide risk in our young people. Social support is extremely important for all children, but especially for those most at risk for depression.Ironically, BSD launched a mental health initiative in the same week that that they proposed splitting up elementary schools to fill Timberline MS. To support the mental health of our students, please do not create a traumatic event in the first place. My background is in education, as a teacher and school administrator, and child advocacy as a CASA and board member. In all the places that I've served, it's a universally recognized tenet that children need a safe, stable environment. All around the country, school districts use a model where smaller elementary schools feed into progressively larger middle then high schools. I have never seen a school district design a system where children are deliberately separated from their friends in middle school, then again in high school. I have advocated in court for children in the child welfare system to stay in their schools, because we know from extensive research and best practices that children need to stay in their communities. This continuity and sense of community is critically important to mental health.</p>
247	12/26/19	Divya	theraogirls@gmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset	ISB	<p>Hello BSD committee members and BSD staff,In the last meeting on Dec 19th since a Oak hills mom spoke about her kids not having many friends when they moved to high school, many people have been only concentrating on middle school feeding intact into high schools. Can these parents by the same logic not understand that elementary kids are more vulnerable during their prepubescent stage and its vital to have their elementary friends to lean on when they enter middle school. There have been various research studies done to establish this fact. For example https://www.napls.us/site/handlers/filedownload.ashx?moduleinstanceid&#61;4047&amp;dataid&#61;8331&amp;FileName&#61;School%20Feeder%20Patterns-%20Overview%20and%20Impacts.pdfPlease reject any theme maps that are suggesting to only split Findley kids without caring about their emotional well being. Please note that the parents proposing the split for Findley do not want the same option for their own kids. Walkability to our neighborhood Stoller middle school is not a luxury but a necessity. 73 % of the Findley neighborhood can walk to Stoller with the development of the new THPRD trails which are going to be in the active planning stage in the near future. Four million dollars of tax payers money was spent on the construction of some of these trails already. Currently 43% walkability is significant in terms of data. I feel really sorry that one community does not have a walkable neighborhood school but do not snatch away the walkability option for kids from another community to compensate for this. There is lot of acrimony in social media against Findley parents calling them elitist, rich, snobbish etc. Springville parents who are writing these comments are rich and well to do themselves so not sure why they are channeling their frustrations in negative ways on social media. There are kind, compassionate and responsible parents on both sides of this equation and its important to go through this discussion in a calm and logical way since we all are in one community together.I have not been able to attend the boundary adjustment meetings personally so I thank BSD staff for providing the live feed and an opportunity to post my comment.</p>
248	12/26/19	Shah Jahinuzzaman	jahin29@yahoo.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>Thanks to BSD for arranging another public meeting on December 19th. Also appreciate that Advisory committee members are reviewing the four theme maps and reading all public comments submitted on BSD website.I would re-emphasize that the advisory committee should thoroughly review the student numbers, growth forecast and the target capacity while recommending a MS boundary map. For example, a walk through Theme-2 numbers was very clear to the audience in December 19th meeting, however, discussions on other theme maps failed to stand based on numbers.As a Findley student[?]'s parent, I strongly believe that Findley should stay with Stoller for a number of reasons:1) Findley student number is stable or even decreasing while Springville and Sato student numbers are rapidly growing. Keeping two growing communities like Springville and Sato with Stoller will bring back Stoller overcrowding Issues in couple of years. 2) A large number of Findley students do not need bus to go to Stoller. If Findley is fed to Timberland, all of Findley students will need to be bused to Timberland, warranting busing cost in addition to existing Springville busing cost and causing traffic on single lane Saltzman Rd.3) Springville students chose Stoller when given an option between Springville K-8 and Stoller as MS. Busing/transportation time did not appear as an issue at that time. So an additional busing time of 10 minutes or so to Five Oaks should not be unreasonable. We should note that Bethany ES students also cross Hwy-26 to attend Meadow Park MS.Finally, I think that a sustainable long term solution requires BSD to have a MS in North Bethany to support the exponentially growing community there.Thank you!</p>
249	12/26/19	Nitesh	niteshah@hotmail.com	Findley Elem	Stoller MS	Sunset		<p>I think that walkability to the school must be given high priority because it saves the school district a lot of money as they do not need to run so many school buses. Also parents living within a 1 mile radius will be driving their kids to school which also saves money spent on school buses. In case of Springville practically all of the Springville school boundary is more than 1 mile away from Stoller so every single kid will have to be bused to school. This cost saving argument must be given more emphasis in an era of tight school budgets.THPRD has built new walkways which would encourage children to walk to middle school. All the money spent by THPRD would not be used properly if the kids living near the new THPRD walkways are bused to Timberland.In all the meetings the Springville spokespeople always give a number of "45 minutes" from Springville to Five Oaks school – I have tried multiple different options on Google Maps during peak hours and I cannot find this 45 minute route.The aggressive increase in the number of homes in the North Bethany neighborhood is going to lead to more overcrowding at Stoller in a very short time if the Springville kids are bused to Stoller. This decision would be shortsighted and we would need to go through all these meeting again in 1 or 2 years again. Established communities like Findley and Jacob Wismer have lesser and decreasing numbers of kids which naturally helps reduce overcrowding at Stoller.</p>

FW: Middle school boundary discussions

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Dear Mr. Sparks,

Please refer to the attached document which has a detailed analysis on how to solve for the objectives of the Joint Committee, without having anyone travel unreasonably long distances. It showcases several options, with the pros and cons of each.

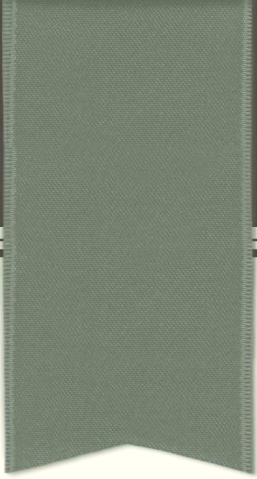
I have also attached a flyer which provides a very brief summary of the same work.

We hope that you and the members of the advisory committee will peruse them and work towards an equitable solution for ALL BSD students.

Thank you,

Regards,

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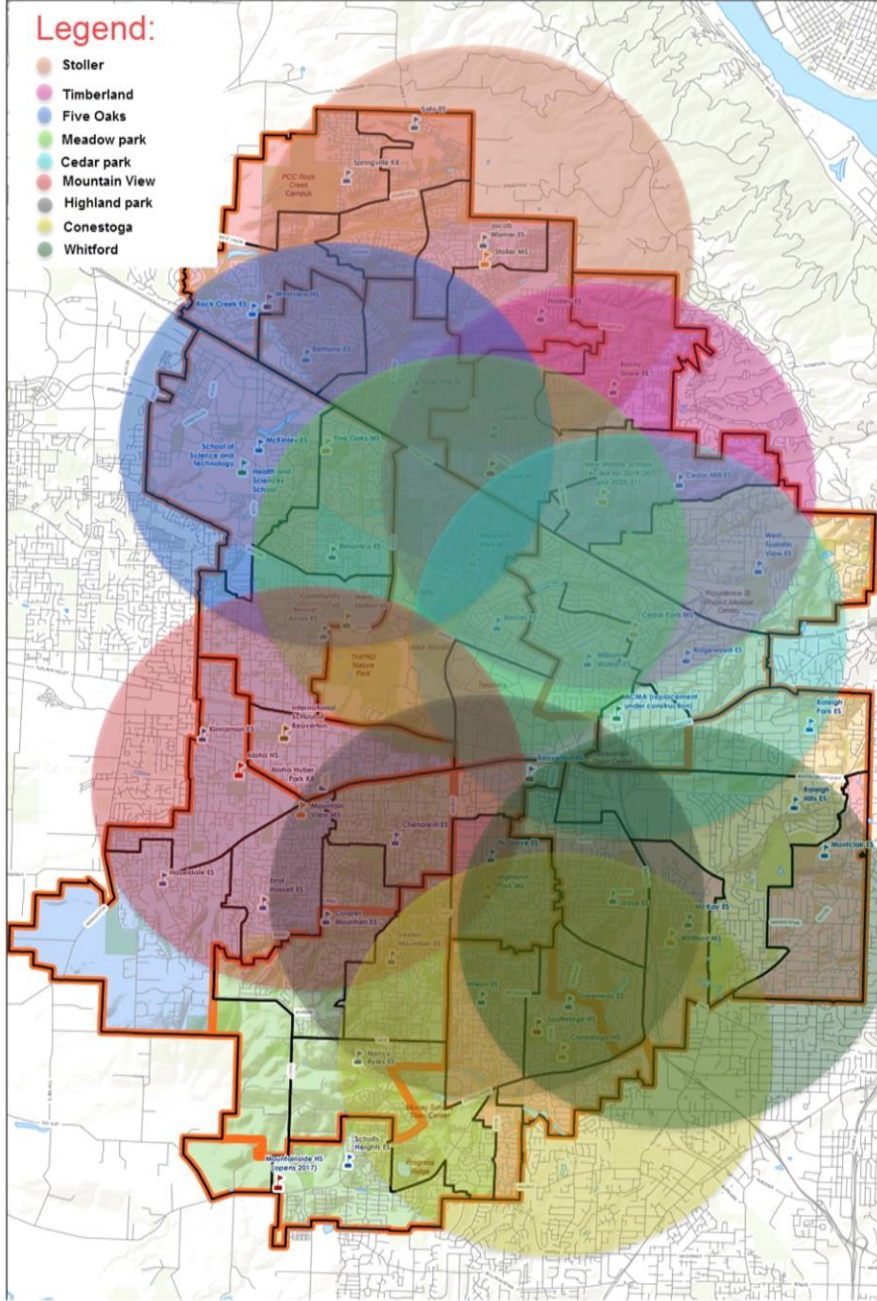


BSD MIDDLE SCHOOL BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT POINT OF VIEW



Key Considerations to Meet the BSD JC Objectives

- Localize the overcrowding issue in North BSD by re-drawing North school boundaries
- disruptive to existing communities
 - Self contain the issues to the localized geographical location – Try to solve it without re-drawing or impacting communities in the south to solve the North BSD school crowding issue
- Do not overcrowd other MS due to the boundary adjustment
- Optimize the commute distance for all BSD kids



BSD Boundaries Map showcasing accessibility of various communities

What is this map about?

- “3 Mile” radius from each middle school in BSD
- Each Circle is centered by the Middle school highlighting the 3 mile radius from MS
- This map shows geographical coverage of each MS to various communities
- Gives a view of how many middle schools are accessible to each community
- For example,
 - *“If there are two overlapping circles then it indicates two middle schools are accessible within the 3 mile radius for that given community”*

Key Perspectives that can be derived from the map:

- Springville is covered only by 1 MS
- Findley community south of Bronson Creek is covered by 2 MS [Stoller, Timberland]
- South west part of Findley community is covered by 3 MS [Stoller, Timberland, Five Oaks]
- South part of SATO is covered by 2 MS and North part of SATO covered by 1 MS
- South part of Jacob Wismar is covered by 2 MS
- Pushing overcrowding problem to the south is not an option because the south west communities of BSD as it is, are mostly served by one MS



FACT CHECK

Statement:

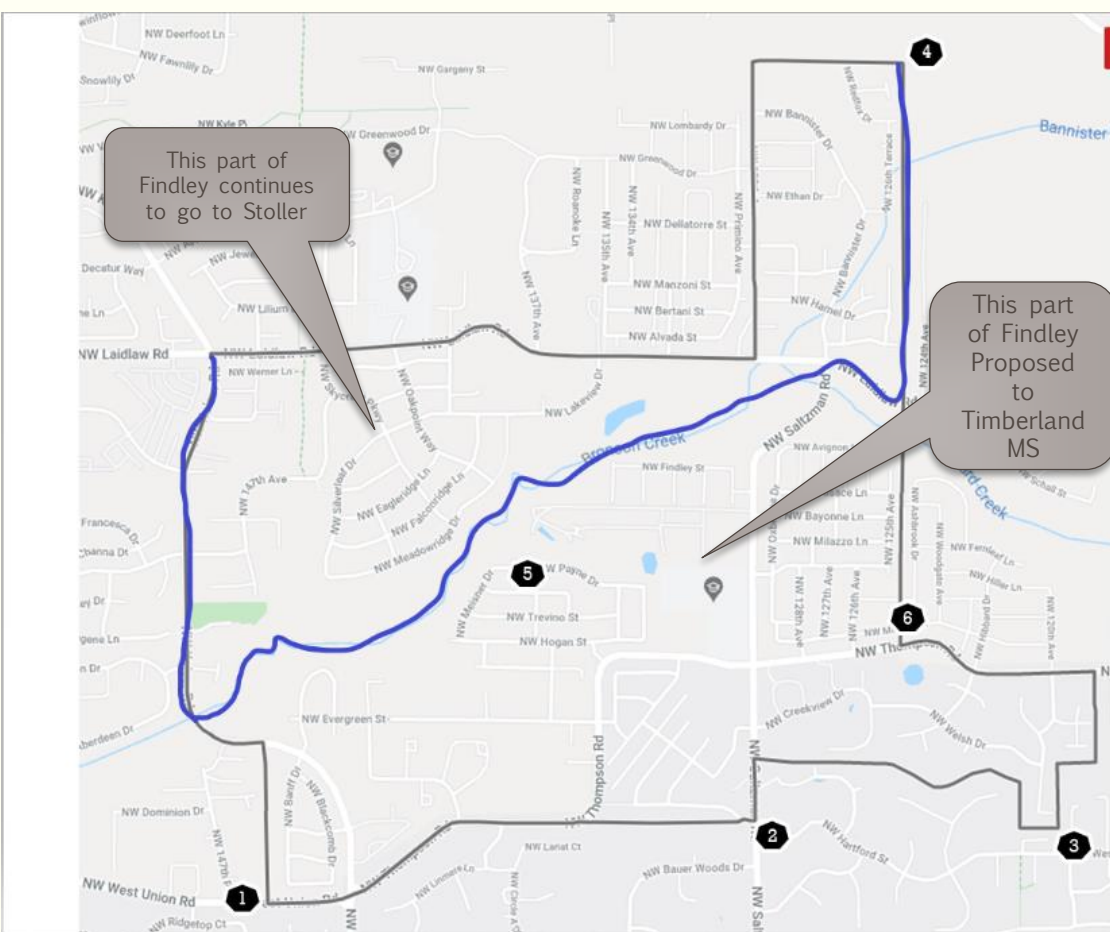
“Springville parents didn’t send their kids to Springville Middle School housed in Springville K-8 and instead chose to send to Stoller”

Fact Check:

- Springville Middle School is / was an Option Middle School
- Option school are open to everyone in the district and not only restricted to the community
- Everyone needs to apply, and the students are selected by a lottery mechanism
- The Option School capacity is not same as the regular middle school as the options program specializes in specific areas of learning
- Springville K-8 Option middle school had a planned capacity of only ~60 Students for incoming 6th graders. Overall capacity ~180 students
- Homeschool for the Springville elementary school is STOLLER middle school very similar to the other elementary schools in the Bethany area
- BSD is already discussing about phasing out K-8 programs as the BSD leaders believe 8th graders shouldn’t attend the same school as kindergartners if they want to be prepared for High school [<https://pamplinmedia.com/bvt/15-news/441813-354679-beaverton-looks-to-ditch-k-8-schools>]

Conclusion:

- The argument that Springville community didn’t send their kids to Springville K-8 Program and instead to STOLLER is meaningless and flawed
- The neighborhood Middle school for Springville has always been STOLLER for the last 10 years (since its inception)



Statement:

“Findley is walkable / bikeable to Stoller Middle school”

Fact Check:

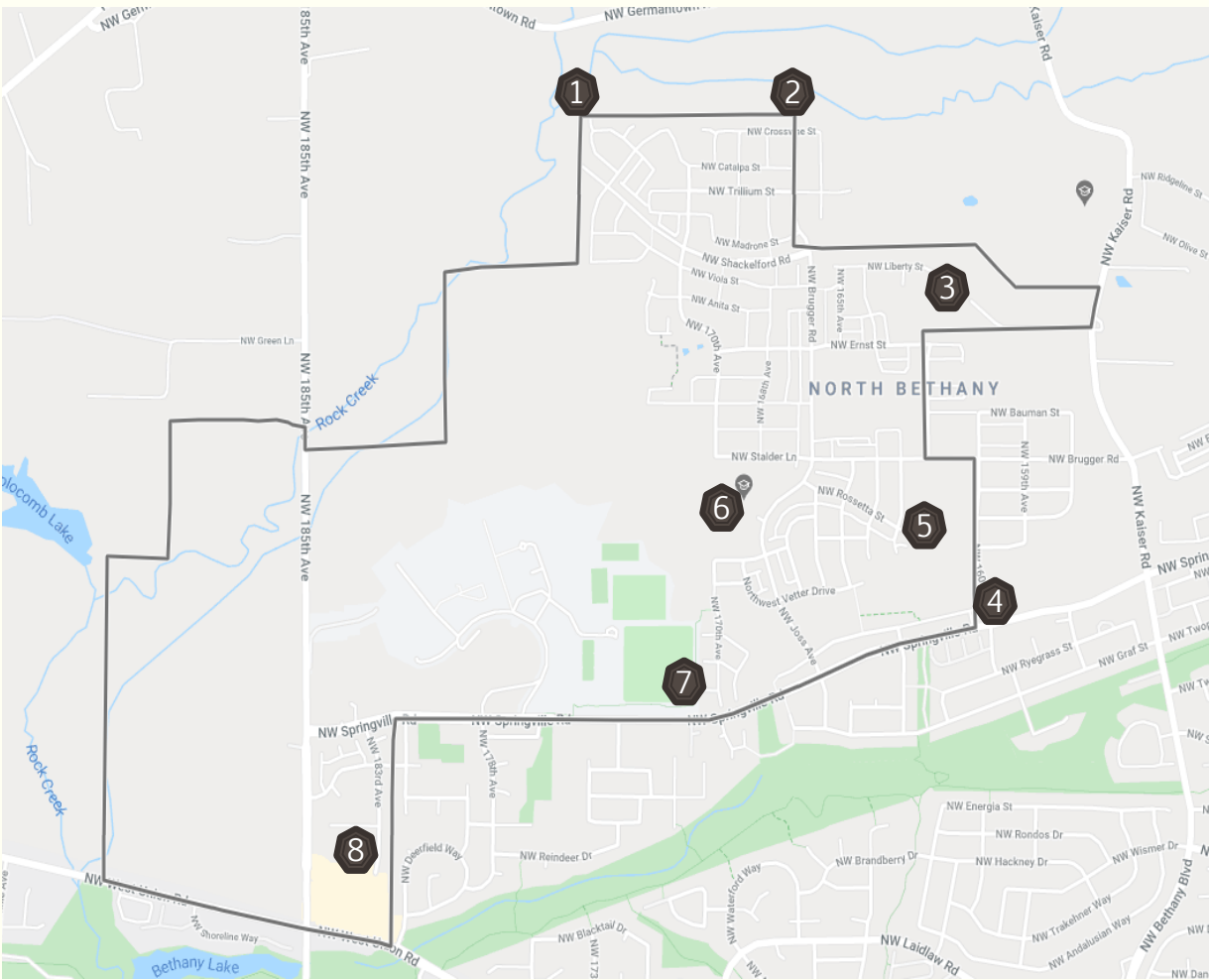
- Only one community which is opposite to Stoller middle school is in a safe walkable zone
- Bronson Creek Green space is in between most of Findley ES communities and the Stoller MS
- The Findley community which is south of Bronson Creek green space has to go through the narrow strip of Saltzman road to reach Stoller MS and this is not a bike zone or walk zone
- There have been multiple concerns raised by the Findley communities about the safety of this small strip of road connecting Thomson Road and Laidlaw Road through which they need to go to Stoller Middle School [Search for : Saltzman road safety issues]
 - <https://www.change.org/p/please-help-fix-saltzman-road-before-there-s-an-accident>
 - https://www.oregonlive.com/north-of-26/2013/12/saltzman_road_realignment_high.html
- By moving the Findley communities south of Bronson Creek green space, they can avoid travelling to the Stoller Middle school through this dangerous road and instead safely go to the new Timberland middle school with minimal increase in distance

Below table provides distance from various communities of Findley ES to both Stoller and Timberland

Marker	Walkable / Bikeable	Bussed to Stoller MS?	Stoller	Timberland	Proposed Future MS
1	No	Yes	1.5	2.7	Timberland
2	No	Yes	1.6	2.3	Timberland
3	No	Yes	2.1	3.1	Timberland
5	No	Yes	2.1	3.3	Timberland
6	No	Yes	1.6	2.8	Timberland
4	No	Yes	1.2	3.5	Stoller

Recommendation:

- Based on the above data, the distance to the new Timberland MS is not significantly higher than their current commute and BSD will be able to reduce crowding with this change
- **Findley students will need to travel ~ 6 – 10 mins to the new timberland school. Currently they travel ~4 – 7 mins to Stoller**



Statement:

“Springville can go to Five Oaks”

Fact Check:

- Most of the Springville community resides north of Springville road
- There is only a very tiny community which resides on the south west end of the school boundary
- Most of the kids from the Springville elementary boundary has to travel approximately 4+ miles to commute to Five Oaks in a heavily trafficked 185th Avenue in the morning and evening
- There are other communities well below Springville school who are much closer to various middle schools, few examples
 - Findley is closer to Stoller, Timberland, Meadow park and Five Oaks
 - South part of SATO elementary school is much closer to Five Oaks and Meadow Park
 - South Part of Rock Creek is close to Five Oaks

Below is the distance from various points in the Springville Elementary school boundary

Marker	Stoller	Five Oaks via 185	Proposed Future MS
1	2.8	5.4	Stoller
2	2.5	5	Stoller
3	2.3	5	Stoller
4	1.7	4.2	Stoller
5	1.9	4.7	Stoller
6	2.2	4.5	Stoller
7	2.3	4.6	Stoller
8	2.9	3.3	Stoller

Recommendation:

- Based on the above data, Stoller is the only viable option for Springville elementary school students
- **If moved out of Stoller to Five oaks, Springville kids need to travel 30-45 mins in school bus (~25 to 30 mins in car). Currently they travel ~10 mins to Stoller by school bus (less than 5 minutes in car)**
- There are multiple options available to reduce crowd in Stoller without impacting Springville elementary school students and still have room for future growth in Stoller

Why increasing the travel time might be an issue?

- Middle school BSD survey results indicates that kids experienced bullying on the way to or from school
[Source: BSD district survey]
 - 2019 - 17%
 - 2018 - 13%
- With already an increasing trend in bullying to or from school, increasing the commute time will result in more bullying
- Moving Springville to any other middle school other than Stoller will result in almost doubling the commute time each way
- Springville kids travels ~ 8 -10 mins to Stoller Middle School
- If Springville is moved to Five Oaks, then the commute will be ~25 mins one way based on the traffic situation and might result in potential for more bullying and other safety issues



Few Options for the BSD Committee's consideration

Stoller Middle School
Permanent Capacity : 1081
Portable Capacity : 294
Total Capacity : 1375
Current Enrollment : 1557

Objective: Reduce Stoller Middle School Crowding

All the below options will reduce Stoller school crowding further without impacting communities in the North and without overcrowding other schools based on 2025 projections

Option 1: [BSD Theme 1 Modification]

- Move SUMMA program from Stoller to Timberland – Reduces ~325 Students

Total Reduction is approx. 325 students
Future Projected Enrollment: 1233
(114% of permanent capacity based on 2025)
(89% of Total capacity based on 2025)

**** If you consider current capacity, this will be ~75% of permanent capacity**

Option 3: [BSD Theme 1 Modification]

- Move SUMMA program from Stoller to Timberland – Reduces ~325 Students
- Move south part of SATO ES below the pirate park green space – Reduces ~ 150 students

Total Reduction is approx. 475 students
Future Projected Enrollment: 1083
(100% of permanent capacity)
(78% of Total capacity)

Option 4: [BSD Theme 4 Modification]

- Move SUMMA program from Stoller to Timberland – Reduces ~325 Students

Total Reduction is approx. 325 students
Future Projected Enrollment: 1481
(137% of permanent capacity)
(107% of Total capacity)

Option 2: [BSD Theme 1 Modification]

- Move SUMMA program from Stoller to Timberland – Reduces ~325 Students
- Move south part of SATO ES below the pirate park green space – Reduces ~ 150 students
- Move the top right part of Findley to Timberland [Bannister Heights, Bethany Heights] to timberland – Reduces ~80 students

Total Reduction is approx. 555 students
Future Projected Enrollment: 1003
(92% of permanent capacity)
(73% of Total capacity)

Option 5: [BSD Theme 4 Modification]

- Move SUMMA program from Stoller to Timberland – Reduces ~325 Students
- Move south part of SATO ES below the pirate park green space – Reduces ~ 150 students
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Total Reduction is approx. 555 students
Future Projected Enrollment: 1251
(115% of permanent capacity)
(90% of Total capacity)

Add On:

In addition to the above changes,

- BSD can cap enrollment to Stoller middle school and route students from new housing developments to other middle schools based on capacity availability which will alleviate concerns about future crowding in Stoller until a new middle school is built in the North Bethany area near SATO / SPRINGVILLE schools

Our Recommendation is Option 1 because...

1. Meets all the Policy JC Factors

☐ **Student Body Composition**

- Brings the best possible ethnic and economic diversity to the Stoller MS and Timberland MS [No changes to other MS diversity]

☐ **Current & Future space availability**

- Meets the JC objective of 90% permanent capacity to Stoller and allows space for future growth

☐ **Feeder patterns from Elementary, Middle and High School**

- All the schools feeding to Timberland MS will go to Sunset High School [No split of MS to HS]
- Findley ES and Bonney ES is IB certified and feeds into Sunset IB school. It would be recommended to keep similar curriculum schools in the same Middle school

☐ **Neighborhood proximity and accessibility**

- All elementary schools proposed to Timberland MS [Findley, Bonny Slope, Cedar Park and Terra Linda] are in the 3 mile radius
- Change to current travel time from elementary school to timberland MS is within acceptable limit

2. Minimal impact to the BSD MS boundary adjustment outside of North Bethany to solve Stoller overcrowding problem

3. All kids who currently walk to their respective MS continue to do in future as well [esp. Findley ES kids]

4. Considering the minor adjustment to the ES boundary, there is no split feeder pattern

Additional Recommendations:

1. Minor adjustment to the Findley elementary school boundary – Move the walking community of Stoller to Jacob Wismer Elementary school from Findley
2. Move Raleigh Hills ES to Cedar Park MS – This will improve Cedar Park utilization and also help Whitford MS to reduce the capacity to ~80%

“Option 1 – Move Summa out of Stoller”

This is a modification of BSD Theme 1 published for 19th Dec 2019 Meeting

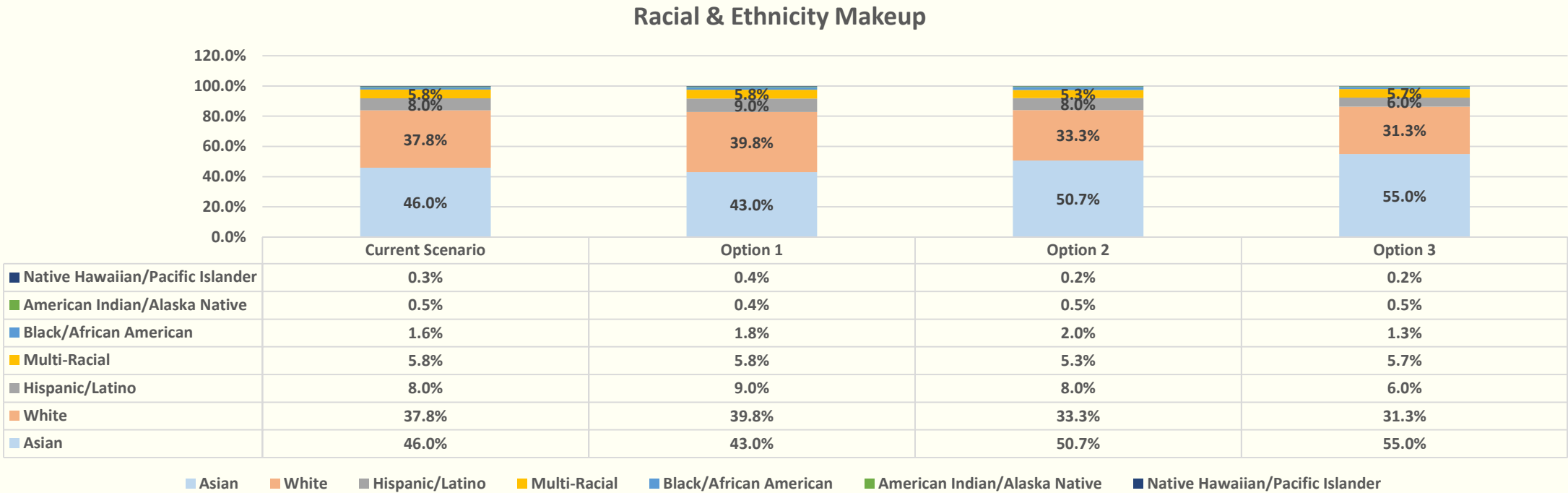


Ethnicity and Economic Diversity Impacts

Below graph depicts how the racial & ethnicity makeup is impacted - what if scenarios

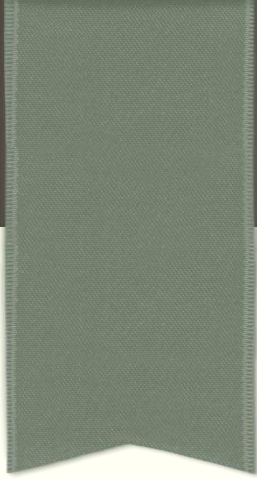
- Option 1: Moving Findley out of Stoller
- Option 2: Moving Findley and Rock Creek out of Stoller
- Option 3: Moving Rock Creek and Springville out of Stoller

Options	Asian : White : Others Ratio	Comments
Current Scenario	46 : 38 :16	
Option 1	43 : 40 : 17	Improves diversity slightly
Option 2	51 : 33 : 16	Deteriorates diversity slightly
Option 3	55 : 31 : 14	Deteriorates diversity more



Below table depicts how the economic diversity is impacted [what if scenarios]

Stoller School	Current	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Free/Reduced Priced Lunch	12%	14%	12%	8%
Comments		improves economic diversity	No Change	Deteriorates the economic diversity



ADDITIONAL FACTS

Fact #1 : Unreasonable commute time for kids

- Long commutes will impact kids in a **negative manner**:
 - Extra-curricular activities
 - Homework time
 - Down time
 - Family time,
- Leads to **negative impact** on their academic, physical, emotional and social wellness.
- “Each additional minute of commuting is associated with a 1.3-minute reduction in sleep. To put that in perspective, if one student had a 10-minute commute, and a second had a 30- minute commute, the second student would get an average of 26 minutes less sleep.” (See source)
- Imagine the effect of an hour long commute, if Springville feeds into Five Oaks!

Source: Journal of Planning Education and Research, Volume: 39 issue: 2

Fact #2: Long commute times leads to increased bullying for kids

- Research reveals that significant amount of **Bullying** occurs during the trips to and from school (see reference)
- Increased commute time to and from school also leads to **increased screen time**
 - Increased screen time also leads to increased social media related bullying

Source:

<http://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/viewdoc/download?doi=10.1.1.853.4705&rep=rep1&type=pdf>

Fact #3: 185th/Evergreen intersection is the **BUSIEST INTERSECTION** in the entire county

- In one day, more than 65000 cars ply through that intersection
- In addition, the transportation department of the City of Beaverton has published traffic counts which show that in one day 86,000 cars cross the Hwy26/185th intersection (2018 data) and this has increased to 90,000 cars in 2019
- Having school buses navigate through these busy stretches would not only cause hardship to kids but would also add more traffic through these already very busy stretches.

Source:

<https://www.co.washington.or.us/LUT/Divisions/TrafficEngineering/Programs/upload/2018-Traffic-Count-data.pdf>

<https://www.beavertonoregon.gov/323/Traffic-Counts>

Many options to achieve JC & MS boundary objectives. See table below, scan for supporting documents

May the force be with BSD	Theme 1	Theme 2	Theme 3	Theme 4	Preferred Opt 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Option 5
Maintain Economic diversity	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Maintain ethnic diversity	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Meets capacity at all BSD middle school	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Preserve feeder patterns	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Equity for travel across BSD	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Feeders to Timberland	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
90% - 95% of Stoller	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓
Student physical health	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Accommodate growing south BSD population	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Preserve walkable commute	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Minimize BSD change mgmnt	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Minimize splits	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗
All MS commute between 4-4.5 miles	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Enable growth capacity for south and north BSD	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



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Beaverton School District 2019-20 Schools and Attendance Boundaries

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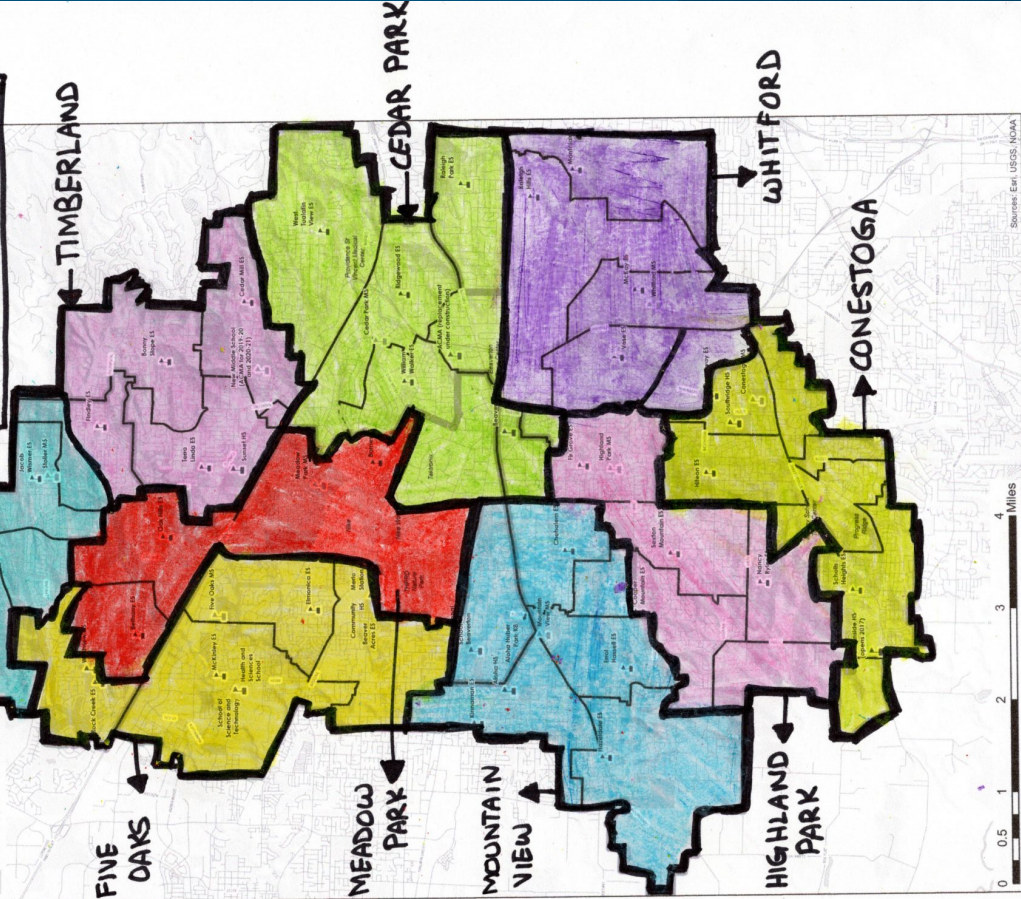
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Legend

- Elementary School Boundaries
- Middle School Boundaries
- Aloha HS
- Beaverton HS
- Mountinside HS
- Southridge HS
- Sunset HS
- Westview HS

STOLLER

Option 1 = Theme
+ move all SUMMA
to TIMBERLAND



Middle School

2021
utilization

Stoller

93%

Fiveoaks

102%

Timberland

97%

Meadowpark

77%

Cedar park

75%

Mountain view

80%

Highland park

70%

Conestoga

103%

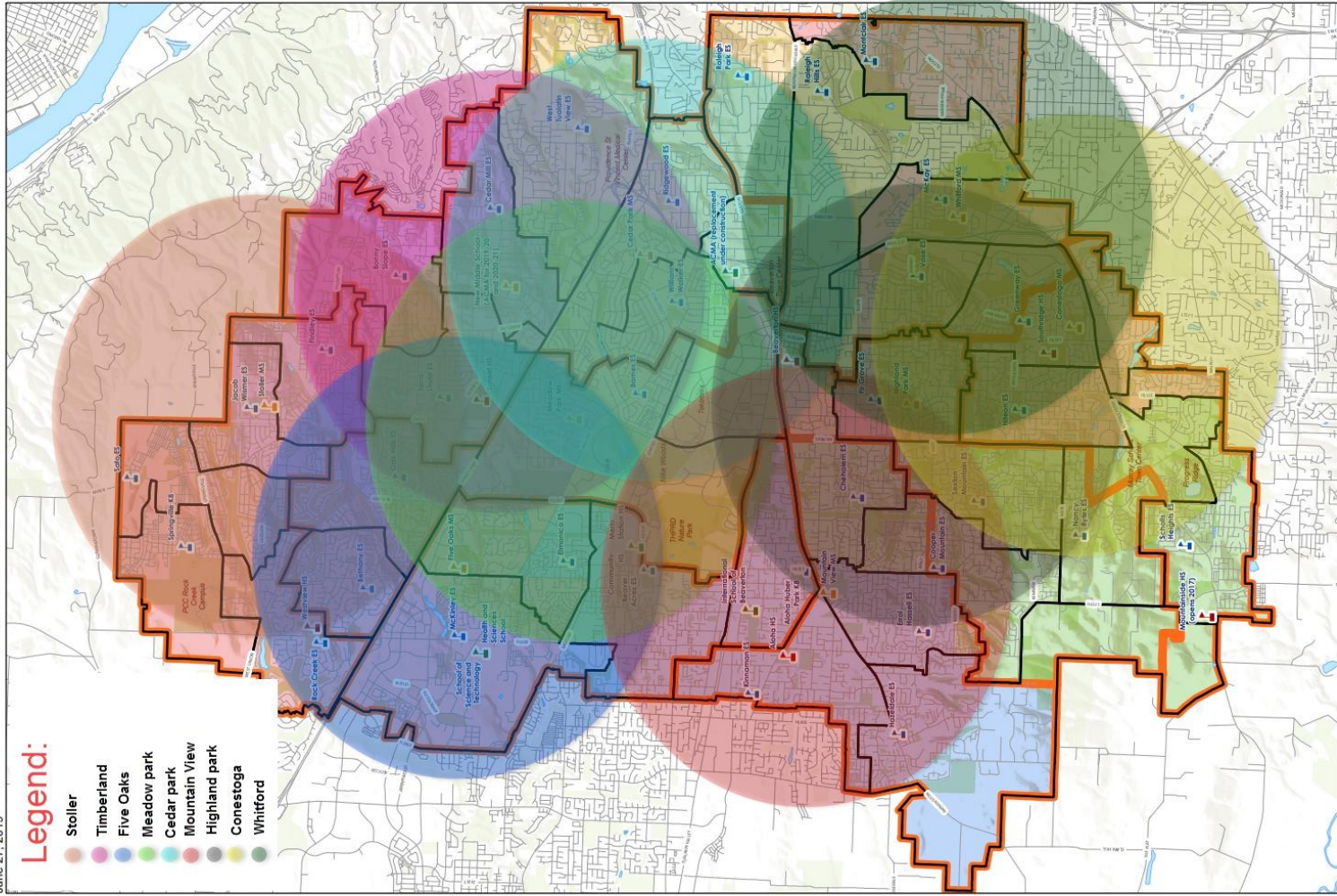
Whitford

75%

June 27, 2019

Legend:

- Stoller
- Timberland
- Five Oaks
- Meadow park
- Cedar park
- Mountain View
- Highland park
- Conestoga
- Whitford



Any map that has a community attending a middle school outside of the accessible 3 mile circle we are impacting equity.

No Split Proposal for BSD MS boundary

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Fri 12/20/2019 3:16 PM

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1 attachments (348 KB)

NoSplit_Map.jpg;

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Hello Steven, Robert, Deborah, Maureen,

Thanks for your patience and hard work in the MS Boundary change project. I want to help the committee by sharing this no split feeder proposal. We have come up with this proposal after looking into both 2020 and 2025 numbers, this can be a good starter map. I believe with minor tweaks of this proposal, the goal of filling MSs to approximately 90% capacity can be achieved (tweaking summa/rachel carsen location). **Please publish this in BSD comments as this would be of interest to a lot of communities in south BSD too where there are a lot of split feeders (and they are against split feeding).**

I have attached associated map drawing as well for visualization.

MS	MS permanent capacity	Elem schools feeding	2020 Total Feed	2020 Total Feed without 13% option	2020 % utilization of permanent capacity	2025 % utilization of permanent capacity	2025 Total Feed	2025 Total Feed without 13% option
Cedar Park	872	Raleigh Park, Ridgewood, William Walker, Aloha Huber	932	811	93	86	867	754
Conestoga	959	Scholls Heights, Hiteon, Greenway, Rachel Carsen	868	755	79	93	821	714
Five Oaks	1127	ElMonica, McKinley, Rock Creek, Springville	1240	1079	96	105	1363	1186
Highland Park	871	Nancy Riles, Sexton Mountain, Fir Grove, Chehalem	1069	930	107	102	1025	892
Meadow Prk	855	Barnes, Beaver Acres, Bethany	952	828	97	80	782	680
Mountain View	990	Kinnaman, Cooper Mountain, Errol Hassel, Hazeldale	1139	991	100	94	1064	926
Stoller	1081	Findley, Jacob Wismer, Sato	1151	1001	93	101	1260	1096
Timberland	1100	West TV, Cedar Mill, Bonny Slope, Terra Linda, Oak Hill	1115	970	88	94	1183	1029
Whitford	858	MontClaire, Raleigh Hill, McKay, Vose	870	757	88	77	758	659
Note: With summa in whitford and Meadowpark, the numbers look better		Proposed Summa in Stoller, FO, Whitford, Meadowpark and Timberland		Rachel Carsen in Conestoga				

Regards,
Yamini Nimmagadda

FW: Concerned Jacob Wismer parent

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please add to the submitted comments
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Dear Mr. Sparks,

I am a resident of BSD and have two kids who currently go to Jacob Wismer Elementary with one graduating to Middle School this summer. We live within the walking distance to elementary and Stoller Middle school.

I have been following the recent Middle School Boundary adjustment meetings and I would like to thank you first for your leadership at these difficult meetings which have been emotional and sometimes contentious.

I understand the planning committee primary objective is to reduce Stoller Middle School capacity and feed the new Timberland middle school. Stoller is terribly over crowded and I am in agreement that it's feeder schools needs to adjusted to reduce it's capacity and improve the quality of education our kids deserve.

However, I am very disappointed to hear during recent meeting(on 12/19) a committee member suggest taking Jacob Wismer out of Stoller Middle school and move it to Timberland Middle school. Stoller Middle school is located within Jacob Wismer Elementary Boundary and I don't understand how busing the students from this neighborhood around Stoller to a different middle school makes sense. Many of these kids not only walk to school and they also walk their siblings to adjacent Jacob Wismer elementary school. This committee member proposal results in all the Stoller kids be bused or use alternate transportation. Is walking distance not a criteria for middle school boundary adjustment? Think about kids safety, additional costs of transportation, environmental impact and commute times this adjustment may have.

Please take into account all data and be data driven and rational when making such important decisions which could effect hundreds of students. I would humbly ask you to keep Jacob Wismer Elementary inside the Stoller Middle School boundary .

Happy Holidays and happy a new year.

Regards,
Pramod

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*** corrected version of previous email ***

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